

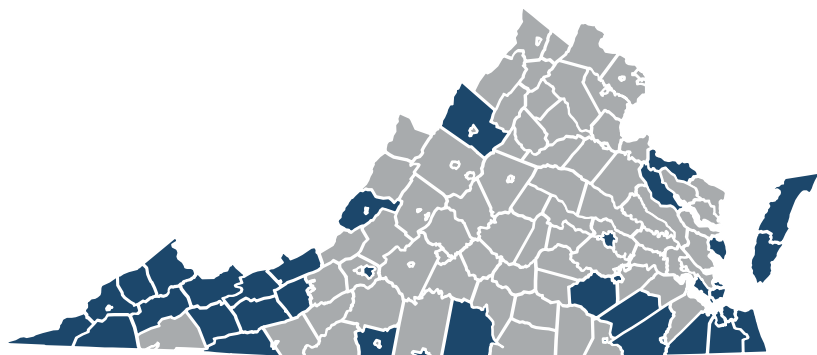


# 2021 HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE GRANTS EQUITY WORKSHOPS

The Deloitte Health360 Solution informs population vulnerability and enables a data-driven approach to operationalizing equity in mitigation projects. It is broken down into two components: Population Vulnerability and Hazard Risk. Both components are added together to identify potential priority areas to support future mitigation projects.

## SERIES OBJECTIVES

- 1 Interpret data from the Deloitte Analysis and identify flooding risk in these areas.
- 2 Understand and explore potential solutions to hazard risk areas and vulnerable populations.
- 3 Educate stakeholders on funding programs such as FEMA hazard mitigation grants, CDBG grants, and the new CFP fund.
- 4 Discuss next steps, technical assistance needs, and training.



### POPULATION VULNERABILITY

Provides a people-focused metric that can be combined with infrastructure, elevation, and financial metrics to support a holistic approach to mitigation planning.



### HAZARD RISK

Reflects the number of households in each flood or hurricane zone weighted by risk severity to provide a people-focused risk metric.



### PRIORITIZED CENSUS TRACTS

Combining population vulnerability and hazard risk at a sub-locality level can identify potential priority areas to support with future mitigation projects.

## 40 Localities Identified Scoring Over 70%





## SUBREGIONAL WORKSHOP

August 12, 2021 from 10am to 12pm

Chesapeake  
Norfolk  
Portsmouth  
Virginia Beach

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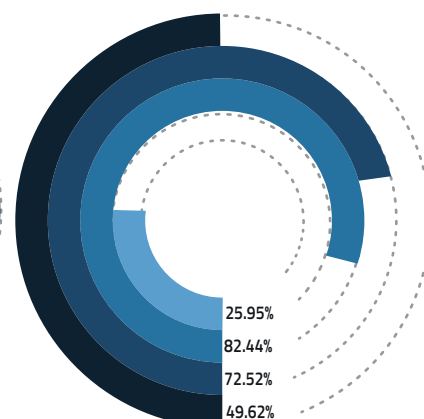
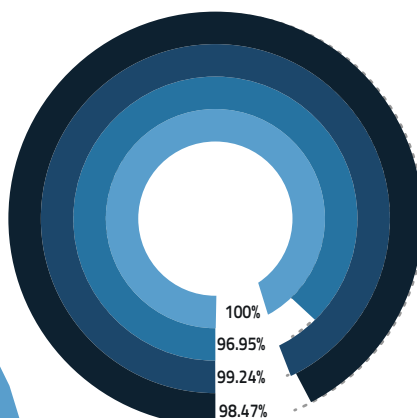


## OVERALL PERCENTILE



## HAZARD RISK PERCENTILE

## POPULATION VULNERABILITY PERCENTILE



# COVID-19 Unified Command/VEST Health Equity Working Group

MITIGATION PROJECTS ANALYSIS  
VIRGINIA BEACH

NOVEMBER 2020



## Topics

The analysis provides **Virginia Beach** with information to support planning and preparation of projects for the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) grant application with an equity focus.

- ❑ Introduction to Data-Driven Approach
- ❑ Hazard Risk
- ❑ Population Vulnerability
- ❑ Prioritization
- ❑ FEMA Funding and Past Projects
- ❑ Considerations for Next Steps

This analysis ***expands the scope of population vulnerability*** to provide a ***data-driven equity lens*** for disaster mitigation project design

## Data-Driven Approach

The Health360 platform informs population vulnerability and enables a data-driven approach to operationalizing equity in mitigation projects.

### Powered By Health360



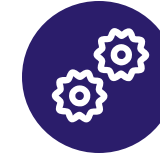
**230M+**  
U.S. Adults Scored



Data updated every  
**1 Month**



Contains over  
**1,500+**  
variables on Social  
Determinants of Health and  
other metrics



**150+**  
Advanced predictive  
algorithms



**400+**

Variables used in the  
mortality predictive  
algorithm



Provides **360°** view of  
a person



Algorithms rebuilt  
every **2 years**



**40+**  
Clients served

# What is hazard risk and how is it calculated?

Household Hazard risk reflects the number of households in each flood or hurricane zone, weighted by severity.



## Hazard Risk

Number of households in each zone:

### Flood zones

- 100 year coastal
- 100 year riverine flood way
- 100 year riverine
- 500 year riverine

### Hurricane zones

- Segmented A, B, C, D

- Households that reside in the flood and hurricane zones are considered to be **at-risk for environmental disasters**
- Hazard Risk reflects **the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones**
- Hazard Risk is not a measure of **infrastructure, elevation, or financial risks**, but is a measure of the number of at-risk households in an area, weighted by the severity of the risk, to **provide a people-focused risk metric**

**Note:** Severity of the risk per household is captured on an ordinal scale from 1 – least severe (Hurricane Zone D, 500 Year Riverine) to 4 – most severe (Hurricane Zone A, 100 Year Coastal)

Hazard Risk = (# of Households in Particular Hurricane or Flood Zones) X (Specified Zone Risk Level (1 through 4 depending on risk severity))

# Hazard Risk in Your Locality

The figures below indicate how your locality’s hazard risk<sup>1</sup> compares to others in Virginia as well as how many households reside in each flood or hurricane zone.

**Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> Percentile**  
**100th**  
Your locality has more households in more severe flood/hurricane zones than 100% of other Virginia localities

**Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> Rank**  
**1st**  
Your locality's Hazard Risk score is ranked 1st out of 132 Virginia localities

Households in Flood Zones & Locality Rank			
← 100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine Floodway	100 Year Riverine	→ Severity 500 Year Riverine
133	117	20,387	16,011
1st out of 132 Localities	10th out of 132 Localities	1st out of 132 Localities	2nd out of 132 Localities

Households in Hurricane Zones & Locality Rank			
← Zone A	Zone B	Zone C	→ Severity Zone D
11,874	50,752	91,988	47,617
4th out of 132 Localities	1st out of 132 Localities	1st out of 132 Localities	1st out of 132 Localities

Flood zones are geographic areas that FEMA has defined according to varying levels of flood risk

Evacuation zones designated as A through D are in place across coastal Virginia

1. Hazard risk reflects the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones, weighted by severity

2. Note that the total sum of households may be more than the households in your locality because some are located in both flood and hurricane zones

## What is population vulnerability and how is it calculated?

The Population Vulnerability score provides a people-focused metric that can be combined with infrastructure, elevation, and financial metrics to support a holistic approach to mitigation planning.



### Population Vulnerability

Prevalence of:

1. Communities of color
2. Elevated health risk
3. Low income
4. # of people in household
5. # of children in household
6. Unemployment risk
7. Age (older adults)
8. Lack of vehicle access

- Population Vulnerability **expands upon the 2018 Virginia Hazard Mitigation plan definition** of population vulnerability (density and percentage of total population)
- Population Vulnerability **only considers localities with households in flood or hurricane zones (132 localities)**
- Population Vulnerability **identifies the locality and census tracts/census blocks** with the most vulnerable individuals/households on average
- Population Vulnerability should be interpreted as a **household's ability to safely respond** to an environmental disaster

## Population Vulnerability in Your Locality

The figures below indicate how your locality's population vulnerability<sup>1</sup> score and composite attributes compare to other localities in Virginia.

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Percentile

**26th**

On average, a household in a flood or hurricane zone in your locality is more vulnerable than a household in 26% of other Virginia localities

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Rank

**98th**

Your locality's Population Vulnerability score is ranked 98th out of 132 Virginia localities

### How VIRGINIA BEACH CITY Compares to Other Localities Across the Eight Vulnerability Attributes

Low Income

**27th**

percentile

Elevated Health Risk

**27th**

percentile

Age

**22nd**

percentile

Communities of Color

**66th**

percentile

# of Children in Household

**73rd**

percentile

# of People in Household

**66th**

percentile

Unemployment Risk

**38th**

percentile

Lack of Vehicle Access

**27th**

percentile

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## Using Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk to Prioritize Census Tracts

Combining population vulnerability and hazard risk at a sub-locality level can identify potential priority areas to support with future mitigation projects.

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### **Hazard Risk**

Number of households in each zone:

#### **Flood zones**

- 100 year coastal
- 100 year riverine floodway
- 100 year riverine
- 500 year riverine

#### **Hurricane zones**

- Segmented A, B, C, D



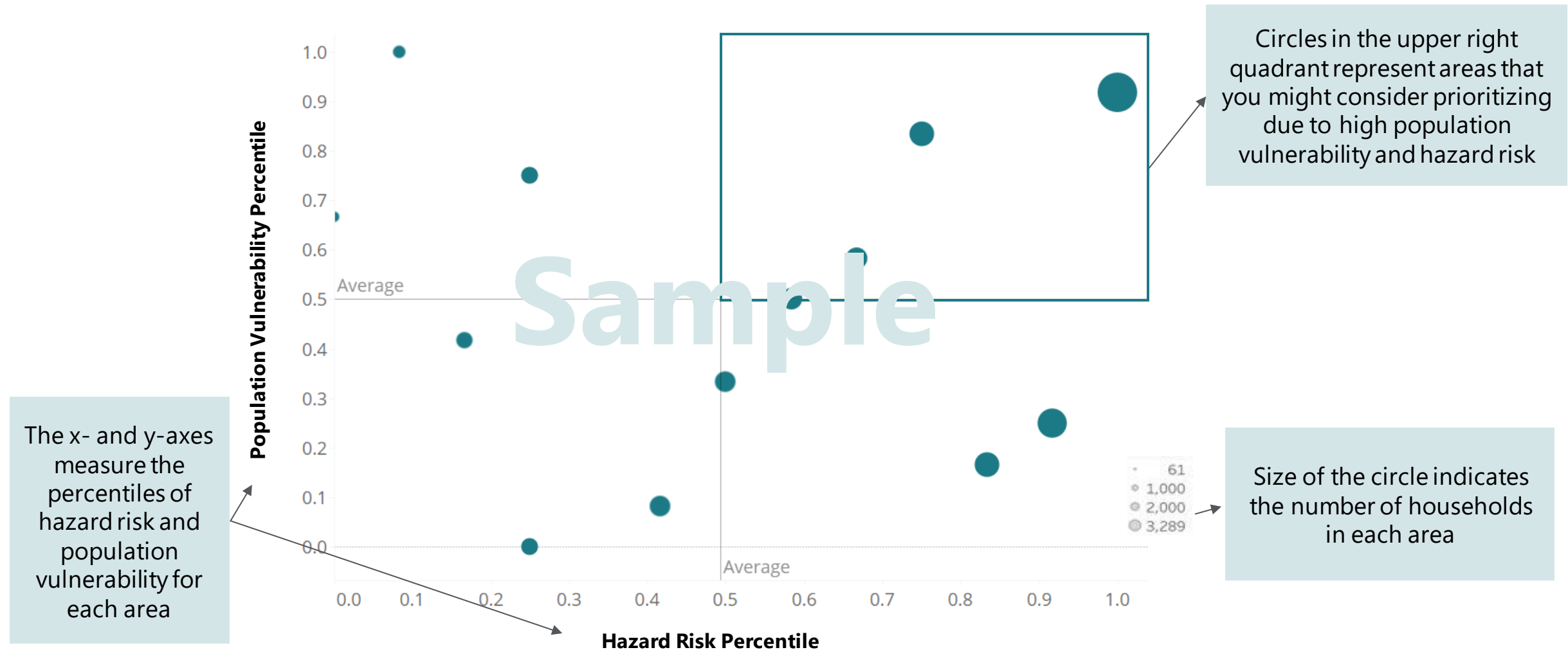
### **Prioritized Census Tracts**

- High Population Vulnerability
- High Hazard Risk

Census tracts with both more households in severe flood/hurricane zones AND households with more vulnerable occupants

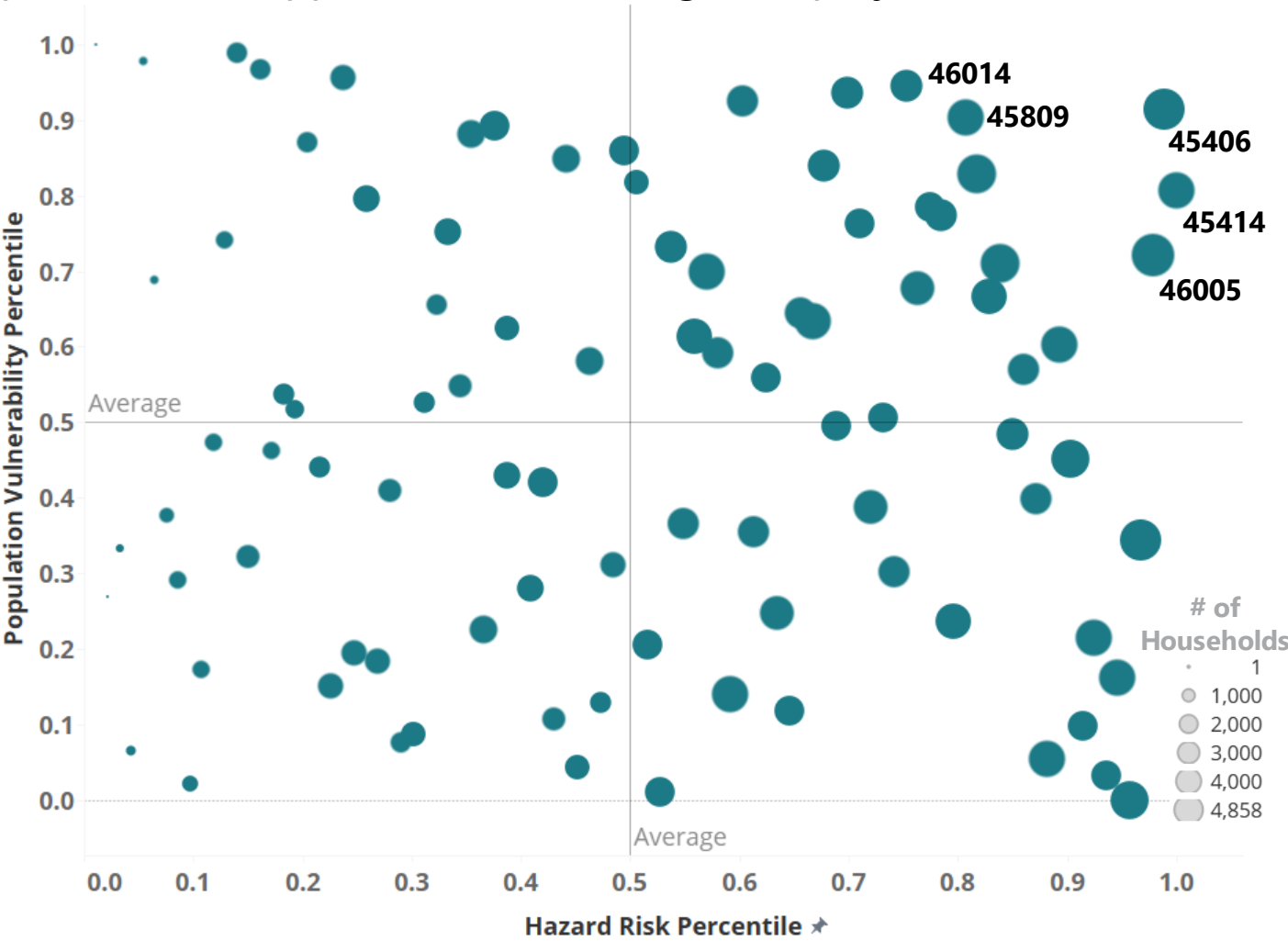
## How to interpret the Census Tract plots

The chart below represents a *sample* locality and offers guidance on how to interpret the information when planning mitigation efforts.



# Prioritizing Census Tracts in Virginia Beach

Areas with the most vulnerable populations and households in severe flood and hurricane zones present prioritization opportunities for mitigation projects.



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

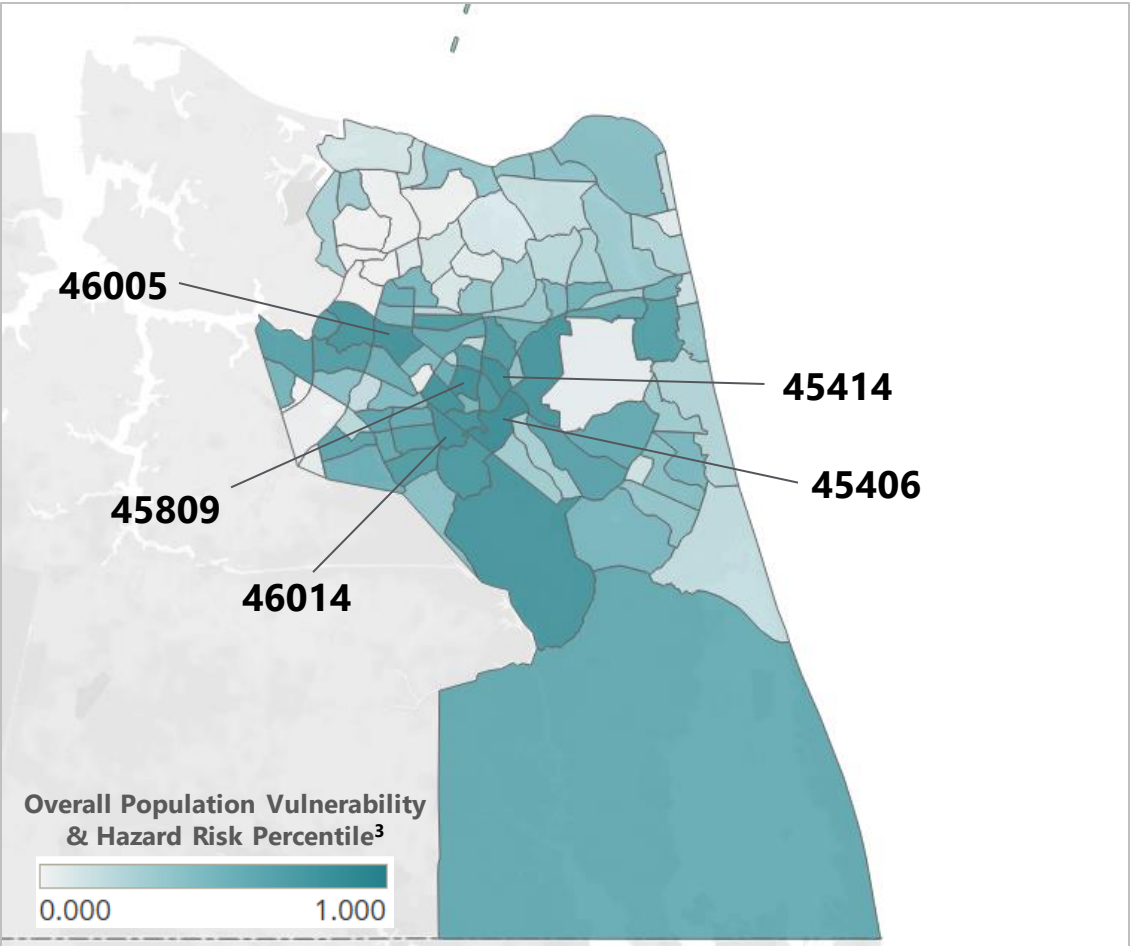
			Within-Virginia Beach Percentiles		
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1	45406	4,476	100th	91st	99th
2	45414	3,490	99th	81st	100th
3	45809	3,579	98th	90th	81st
4	46005	4,858	96th	72nd	98th
5	46014	2,831	96th	95th	75th
6	46012	4,054	95th	83rd	82nd
7	46013	2,814	94th	94th	70th
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# Prioritizing Census Tracts in Virginia Beach continued

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Potential Priority Areas in Virginia Beach



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

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3. Sub-localities at the 0<sup>th</sup> percentile (areas in white) do not have households in Flood or Hurricane Zones

## Priority Census Tracts Summary

When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, it may be helpful to consider the underlying attributes of population vulnerability and the number of houses in each flood/hurricane zone.

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Within-Virginia Beach Percentiles									
			Overall	Population Vulnerability <sup>1</sup>	Communities of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unemployment Risk	Age	Lack of Vehicle Access
1	45406	4476	100th	91st	89th	48th	77th	53rd	74th	71st	13rd	58th
2	45414	3490	99th	81st	90th	14th	82nd	40th	52nd	66th	20th	52nd
3	45809	3579	98th	90th	94th	53rd	69th	28th	38th	58th	23rd	37th

#	Census Tract	# of Households	W/I-Virginia Beach Percentiles		Virginia Beach Household Counts <sup>3</sup>							
			Overall	Hazard Risk <sup>2</sup>	100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
1	45406	4,476	100th	99th	0	0	1,081	913	0	2,228	2,248	0
2	45414	3,490	99th	100th	0	0	2,592	578	0	3,490	0	0
3	45809	3,579	98th	81st	0	0	0	4	0	0	3,579	0

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# Review of FEMA Funding & Past Mitigation Projects

## Review of Mitigation Projects In Your Locality

The figures below provide information regarding mitigation projects<sup>1</sup> in your locality from 1990-2019 that may be helpful to consider in planning potential future mitigation projects.

Total Exclusive Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$8,415,537**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects solely owned by your locality from 1990-2019

Total Shared Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$255,941**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects owned by your locality and at least 1 other from 1990-2019

Exclusive Projects

**19**

Average Exclusive Project Size

**\$443K**

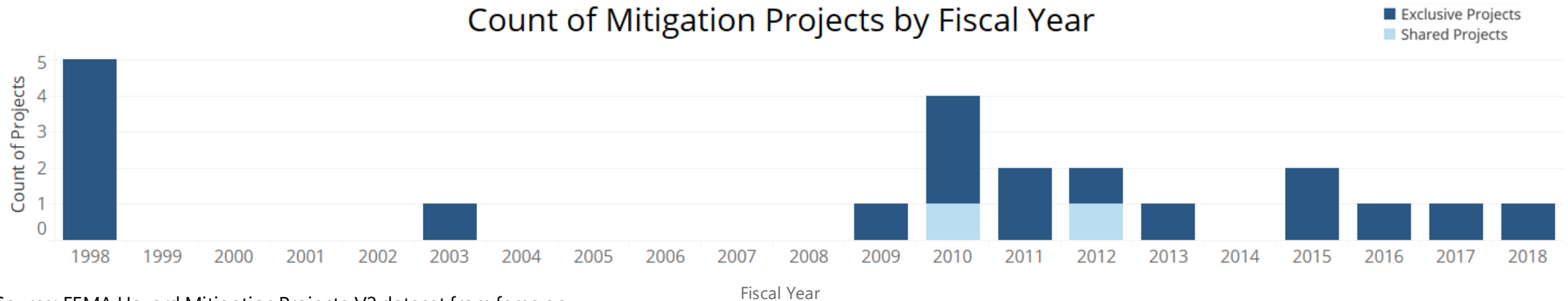
Shared Projects

**2**

Average Counties Per Shared Project

**9.5**

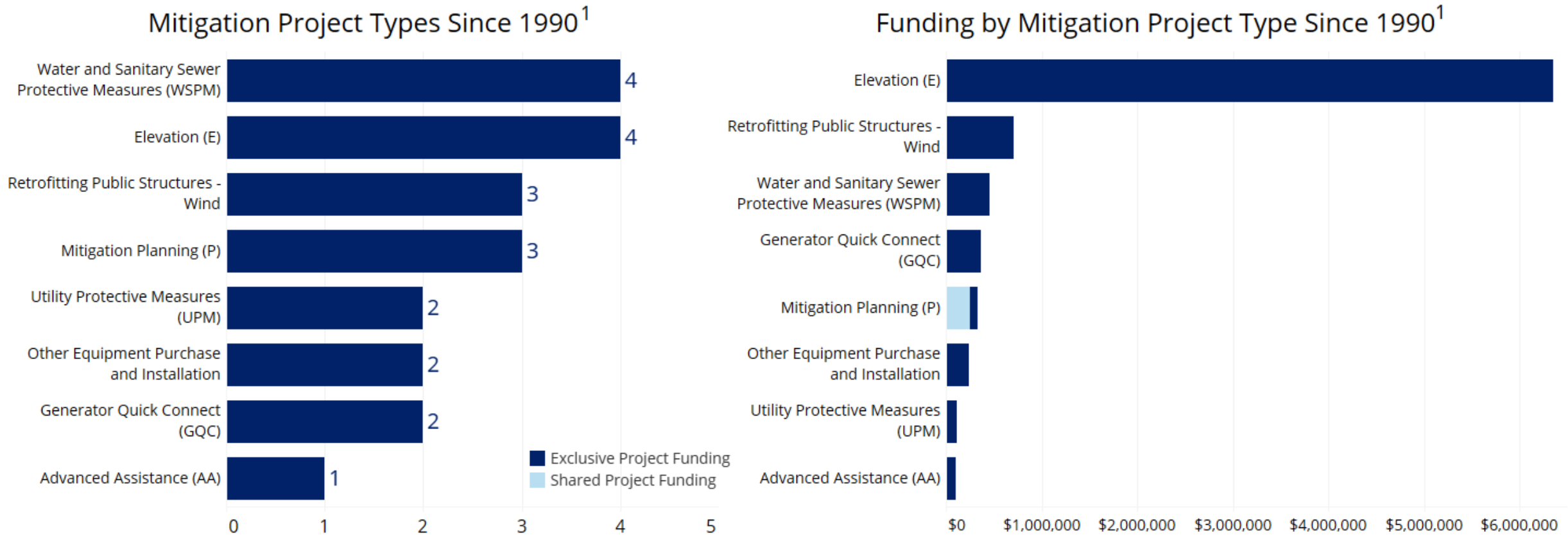
Count of Mitigation Projects by Fiscal Year



1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov)

# Past Mitigation Projects – Top Project Types

From 1990-2019, the top projects included WSPM, Elevation, and Retrofitting Public Structures. The project types that received the most funding were Elevation and Retrofitting Public Structures - Wind.

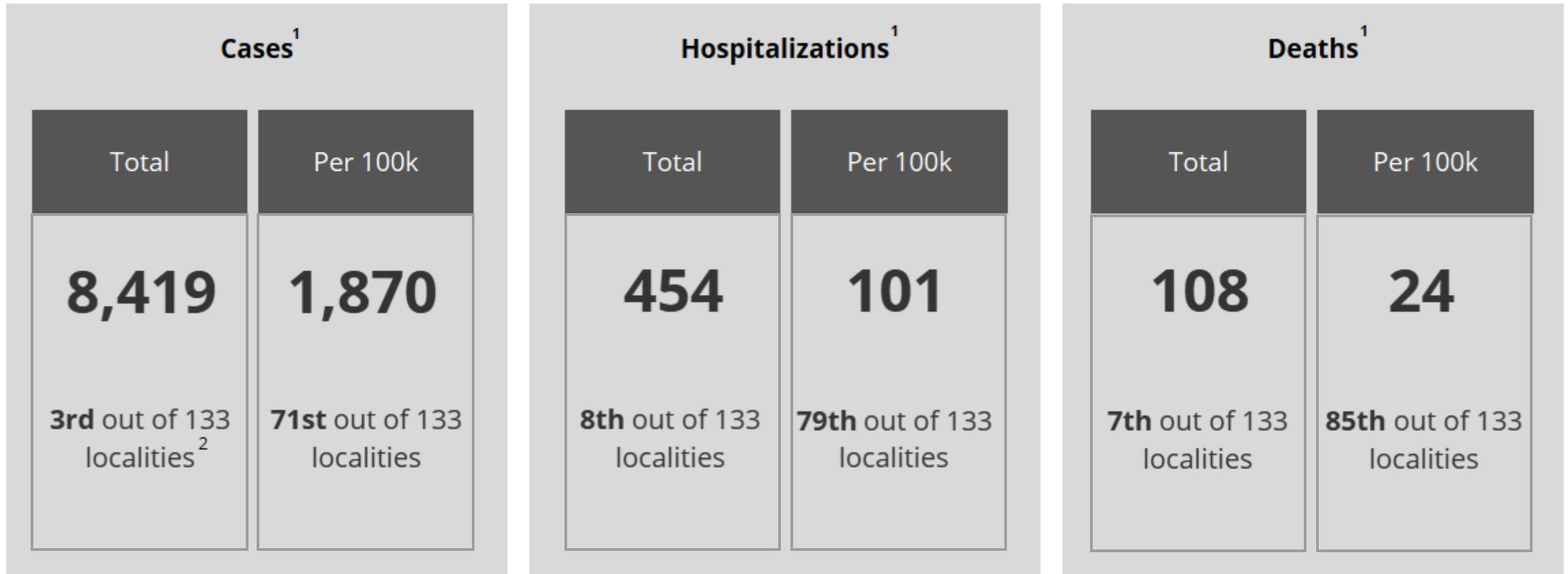


1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from fema.gov

# COVID-19 Impacts

## COVID-19 In Your Locality

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Virginia Beach has experienced the following:



1. COVID-19 case, hospitalization, and death figures are sourced from the Virginia Department of Health as of **11/4/2020**

2. COVID-19 Impact rankings are for all 133 Virginia localities, rather than the 132 included in the BRIC analysis for having at least one household in a flood or hurricane zone

# Considerations for Next Steps

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When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, the population vulnerability and hazard risk metrics can supplement existing measures to design mitigation projects with an equity lens.

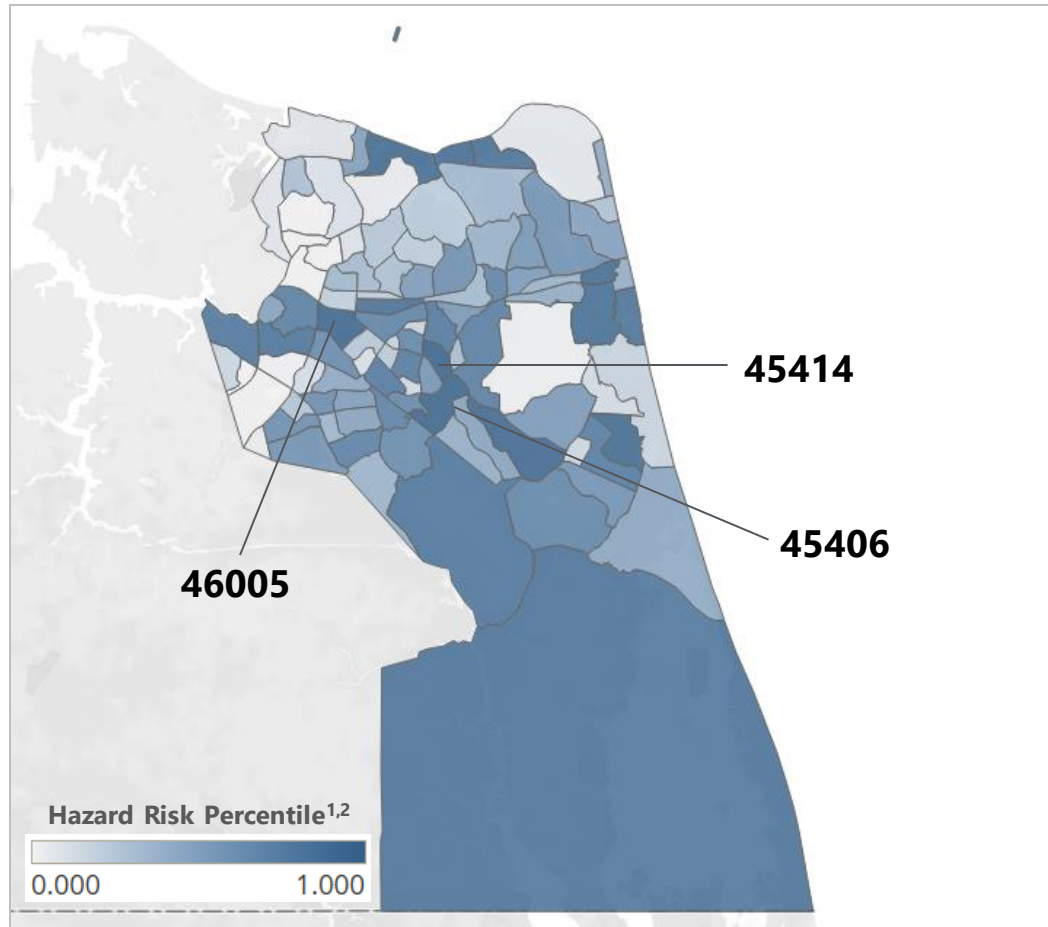
- Consider targeting **priority areas** when designing future mitigation projects
- Consider analysis at the **census tract/block level** to understand population vulnerability and hazard risks at a granular level to support decisions on mitigation projects
- Consider **supplementing these people-focused metrics** with existing infrastructure, elevation, and financial analysis for a holistic mitigation planning approach that includes equity considerations
- Consider **past project types** and **prior funding** in the overall mitigation strategy

# Appendix

## What areas in your locality have the greatest hazard risk?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that have the greatest number of households residing in the more severe flood and/or hurricane zones.

### Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> in Virginia Beach



### Top-5 Census Tracts for Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup>

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Hazard Risk Percentile	Virginia Beach Household Counts							
				100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
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3	46005	4,858	98th	0	0	0	202	0	3,785	0	1,073
4	45417	4,554	97th	0	0	531	817	10	1,377	3,167	0
5	41802	3,734	96th	83	0	1,368	370	0	2,115	1,619	0

**Note:** see the appendix for a data table for the Top 15 Census Tracts

1. Hazard risk reflects the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones, weighted by severity
2. Census tracts at the 0<sup>th</sup> percentile (areas in white) do not have households in Flood or Hurricane Zones

## What is population vulnerability and how is it calculated? *continued*

The vulnerability score for each Virginia household reflects an estimate of the household's ability to safely respond in the event of an environmental disaster.



### Population Vulnerability

Attribute <sup>1</sup>	Weighting <sup>2</sup>	Description (in a household)
Low Income	18%	Number of adults with income less than \$30,000
Elevated Health Risk	17%	Number of adults with one or more serious health conditions
Age (Older Adults)	15%	Number of adults who are age 65 and older
Communities of Color	13%	Number of Black or African American or Hispanic or Latino adults
# of Children in Household	12%	Number of children
# of People in Household	10%	Number of adults and children
Unemployment Risk	8%	Number of adults at high risk of unemployment
Lack of Vehicle Access	6%	Does the household lack access to a motor vehicle?

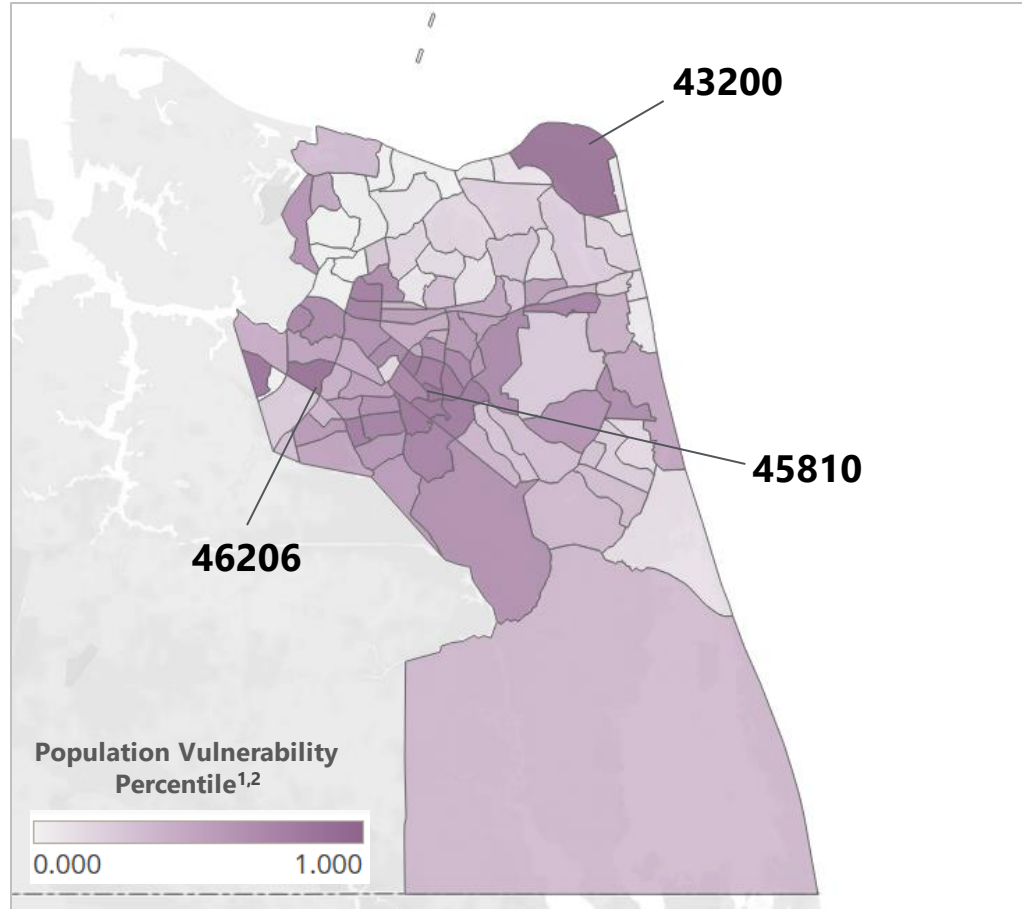
1. Two attributes - English as a Primary Language and Prevalence of Mobile Housing - were dropped from consideration based on the 8/20/2020 BRIC Working Group Session

2. Attribute contributions to Population Vulnerability were weighted as a result of the BRIC Working Group Session on 8/20/2020

## What areas in your locality have the greatest population vulnerability?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that are home to the most vulnerable individuals in the event of an environmental disaster.

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> in Virginia Beach



### Top-5 Census Tracts for Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup>

#	Census Tract	# of House-holds	Within-Virginia Beach Percentiles								
			Pop. Vul.	Comm. of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unem. Risk	Age	Vehicle Access
1	46206	3	100th	100th	100th	0th	100th	100th	0th	99th	0th
2	45810	1,025	99th	99th	38th	95th	47th	82nd	62nd	10th	97th
3	43200	196	98th	87th	87th	100th	54th	98th	60th	1st	59th
4	46220	1,128	97th	81st	39th	94th	10th	17th	98th	43rd	99th
5	45808	1,722	96th	98th	67th	71st	38th	42nd	80th	25th	51st

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# Data table | Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk

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			Overall	Population Vulnerability	Communities of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unemployment Risk	Age	Lack of Vehicle Access	Hazard Risk	100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr Zone D
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2	45414	3,490	99th	81st	90th	14th	82nd	40th	52nd	66th	20th	52nd	100th	0	0	2592	578	0	3490	0	0
3	45809	3,579	98th	90th	94th	53rd	69th	28th	38th	58th	23rd	37th	81st	0	0	0	4	0	0	3579	0
4	46005	4,858	96th	72nd	84th	54th	65th	22nd	27th	85th	39th	53rd	98th	0	0	0	202	0	3785	0	1073
5	46014	2,831	96th	95th	80th	99th	54th	57th	67th	92nd	35th	44th	75th	0	0	0	0	0	1018	1813	0
6	46012	4,054	95th	83rd	86th	49th	70th	39th	43rd	77th	30th	41st	82nd	0	0	0	0	0	0	2275	1779
7	46013	2,814	94th	94th	92nd	46th	84th	26th	35th	78th	26th	60th	70th	0	0	0	0	0	206	2608	0
8	46009	2,696	91st	77th	52nd	91st	51st	58th	46th	59th	74th	55th	78th	0	0	510	297	719	308	1669	0
9	45407	2,408	91st	78th	63rd	60th	62nd	62nd	77th	42nd	42nd	0th	77th	0	0	863	232	0	1688	472	248
10	45423	4,239	90th	71st	42nd	96th	18th	78th	66th	56th	89th	61st	84th	0	4	44	9	75	427	991	2746
11	45405	2,571	89th	92nd	95th	29th	80th	42nd	61st	55th	33rd	17th	60th	0	0	186	180	0	0	2571	0
12	46015	2,830	88th	84th	74th	98th	45th	73rd	85th	40th	28th	29th	68th	0	0	4	0	0	28	2802	0
13	45604	3,688	86th	60th	73rd	12nd	92nd	5th	12nd	96th	8th	77th	89th	0	0	516	468	0	0	3688	0
14	42801	3,392	86th	67th	66th	28th	60th	63rd	73rd	68th	60th	0th	83rd	0	0	343	213	0	295	3097	0
15	45806	2,360	85th	76th	82nd	22nd	67th	49th	57th	49th	51st	81st	71st	0	0	888	538	0	0	2360	0

1. Note: These figures only account for census areas that have households in flood and/or hurricane zones

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# Data table | FEMA Funding<sup>1</sup>

Grantee	Year of Fiscal Year	Exclusive vs Shared	Subgrantee	Project Counties	Project Type(s)	Federal Funds Obligated
VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	2018	Exclusive	City of Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	904.2: Advance Assistance (FMA and PDMC)	\$99,999
	2017	Exclusive	Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY)	601.2: Generators - Regular	\$131,250
	2016	Exclusive	City of Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Structures - Coastal	\$2,914,976
	2015	Exclusive	City of Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Structures - Coastal	\$874,061
					601.1: Generators	\$229,258
	2013	Exclusive	City of Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Structures - Coastal	\$1,227,144
	2012	Exclusive	Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY)	401.1: Water and Sanitary Sewer System Protective Measures	\$68,070
		Shared	HAMPTON ROADS PLANNING DISTRICT C..	ISLE OF WIGHT; JAMES CITY; WILLIAMSBURG (CITY); VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY); SUFFOLK (CITY); PORTSMOUTH (CITY); POQUOSON (CITY); N..	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigation Plan	\$163,140
	2011	Exclusive	Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY)	400.1: Utility Protective Measures (Electric, Gas, etc.); 401.1: Water and Sanitary Sewer System Protective Measures	\$117,110
	2010	Exclusive	Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY)	401.1: Water and Sanitary Sewer System Protective Measures; 602.1: Other Equipment Purchase and Installation	\$45,833
					602.1: Other Equipment Purchase and Installation	\$106,943
		Shared	Hampton Roads Planning District Com..	ISLE OF WIGHT; NORFOLK CITY; PORTSMOUTH CITY; SUFFOLK CITY; VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigation Plan	\$92,801
	2009	Exclusive	City of Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Structures - Coastal	\$1,338,463
	2003	Exclusive	Virginia Beach	VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY)	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigation Plan	\$78,151
	1998	Exclusive	VIRGINIA BEACH	VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY)	205.8: Retrofitting Public Structures - Wind	\$710,946
					401.1: Water and Sanitary Sewer System Protective Measures	\$345,330
					602.1: Other Equipment Purchase and Installation	\$128,003

1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov)

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MITIGATION PROJECTS ANALYSIS  
PORTSMOUTH CITY

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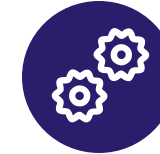
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Data updated every  
**1 Month**



Contains over  
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other metrics



**150+**  
Advanced predictive  
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Variables used in the  
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Provides **360°** view of  
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every **2 years**



**40+**  
Clients served

# What is hazard risk and how is it calculated?

Household Hazard risk reflects the number of households in each flood or hurricane zone, weighted by severity.



## Hazard Risk

Number of households in each zone:

### Flood zones

- 100 year coastal
- 100 year riverine flood way
- 100 year riverine
- 500 year riverine

### Hurricane zones

- Segmented A, B, C, D

- Households that reside in the flood and hurricane zones are considered to be **at-risk for environmental disasters**
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Hazard Risk = (# of Households in Particular Hurricane or Flood Zones) X (Specified Zone Risk Level (1 through 4 depending on risk severity))

# Hazard Risk in Your Locality

The figures below indicate how your locality’s hazard risk<sup>1</sup> compares to others in Virginia as well as how many households reside in each flood or hurricane zone.

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97th

Your locality has more households in more severe flood/hurricane zones than 97% of other Virginia localities

Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> Rank

5th

Your locality's Hazard Risk score is ranked 5th out of 132 Virginia localities

Households in Flood Zones & Locality Rank			
Severity			
100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine Floodway	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine
5	0	8,377	10,656
7th out of 132 Localities	N/A out of 132 Localities	5th out of 132 Localities	4th out of 132 Localities

Households in Hurricane Zones & Locality Rank			
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Zone A	Zone B	Zone C	Zone D
11,670	18,387	12,980	8,088
5th out of 132 Localities	4th out of 132 Localities	5th out of 132 Localities	6th out of 132 Localities

Flood zones are geographic areas that FEMA has defined according to varying levels of flood risk

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## What is population vulnerability and how is it calculated?

The Population Vulnerability score provides a people-focused metric that can be combined with infrastructure, elevation, and financial metrics to support a holistic approach to mitigation planning.



### Population Vulnerability

Prevalence of:

1. Communities of color
2. Elevated health risk
3. Low income
4. # of people in household
5. # of children in household
6. Unemployment risk
7. Age (older adults)
8. Lack of vehicle access

- Population Vulnerability **expands upon the 2018 Virginia Hazard Mitigation plan definition** of population vulnerability (density and percentage of total population)
- Population Vulnerability **only considers localities with households in flood or hurricane zones (132 localities)**
- Population Vulnerability **identifies the locality and census tracts/census blocks** with the most vulnerable individuals/households on average
- Population Vulnerability should be interpreted as a **household's ability to safely respond** to an environmental disaster

## Population Vulnerability in Your Locality

The figures below indicate how your locality's population vulnerability<sup>1</sup> score and composite attributes compare to other localities in Virginia.

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Percentile

**82nd**

On average, a household in a flood or hurricane zone in your locality is more vulnerable than a household in 82% of other Virginia localities

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Rank

**24th**

Your locality's Population Vulnerability score is ranked 24th out of 132 Virginia localities

### How PORTSMOUTH CITY Compares to Other Localities Across the Eight Vulnerability Attributes

Low Income

**65th**

percentile

Elevated Health Risk

**65th**

percentile

Age

**17th**

percentile

Communities of Color

**86th**

percentile

# of Children in Household

**67th**

percentile

# of People in Household

**40th**

percentile

Unemployment Risk

**72nd**

percentile

Lack of Vehicle Access

**78th**

percentile

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## Using Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk to Prioritize Census Tracts

Combining population vulnerability and hazard risk at a sub-locality level can identify potential priority areas to support with future mitigation projects.

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### **Hazard Risk**

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#### **Hurricane zones**

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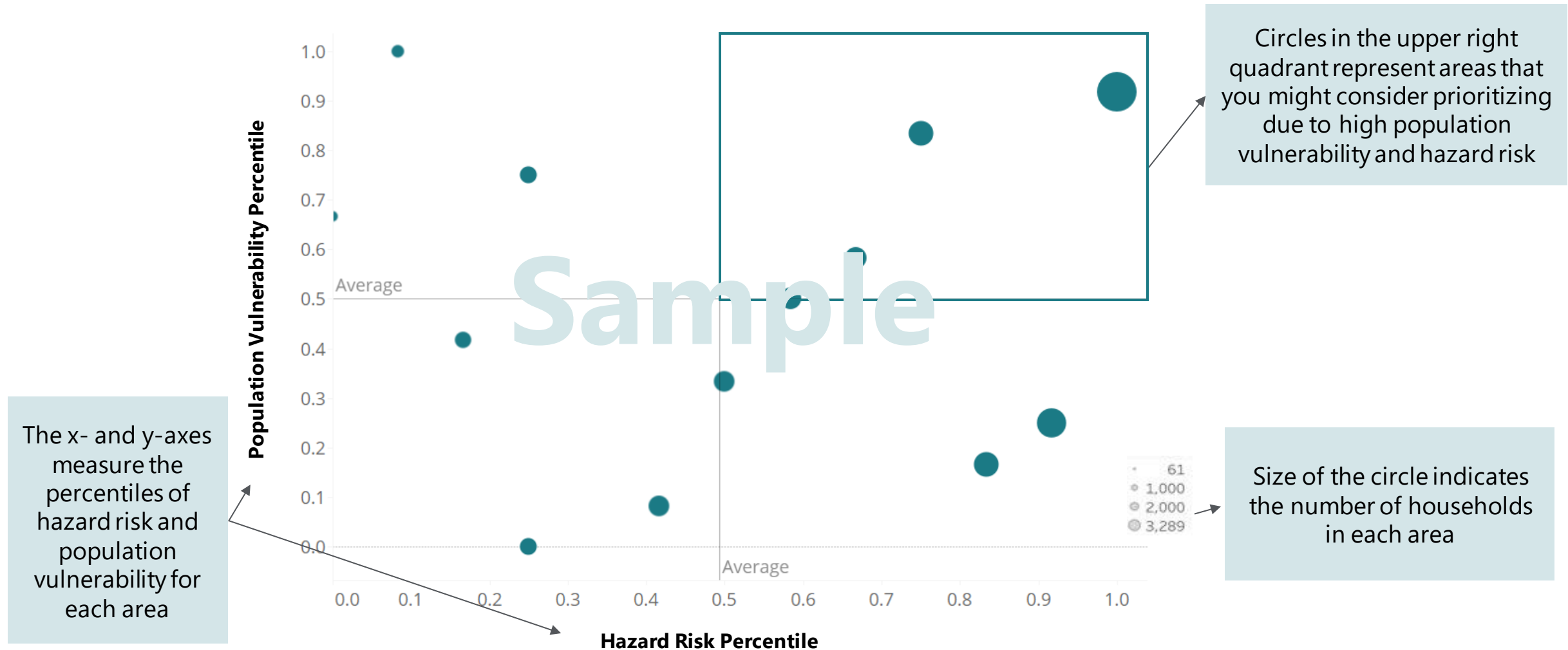
### **Prioritized Census Tracts**

- High Population Vulnerability
- High Hazard Risk

Census tracts with both more households in severe flood/hurricane zones AND households with more vulnerable occupants

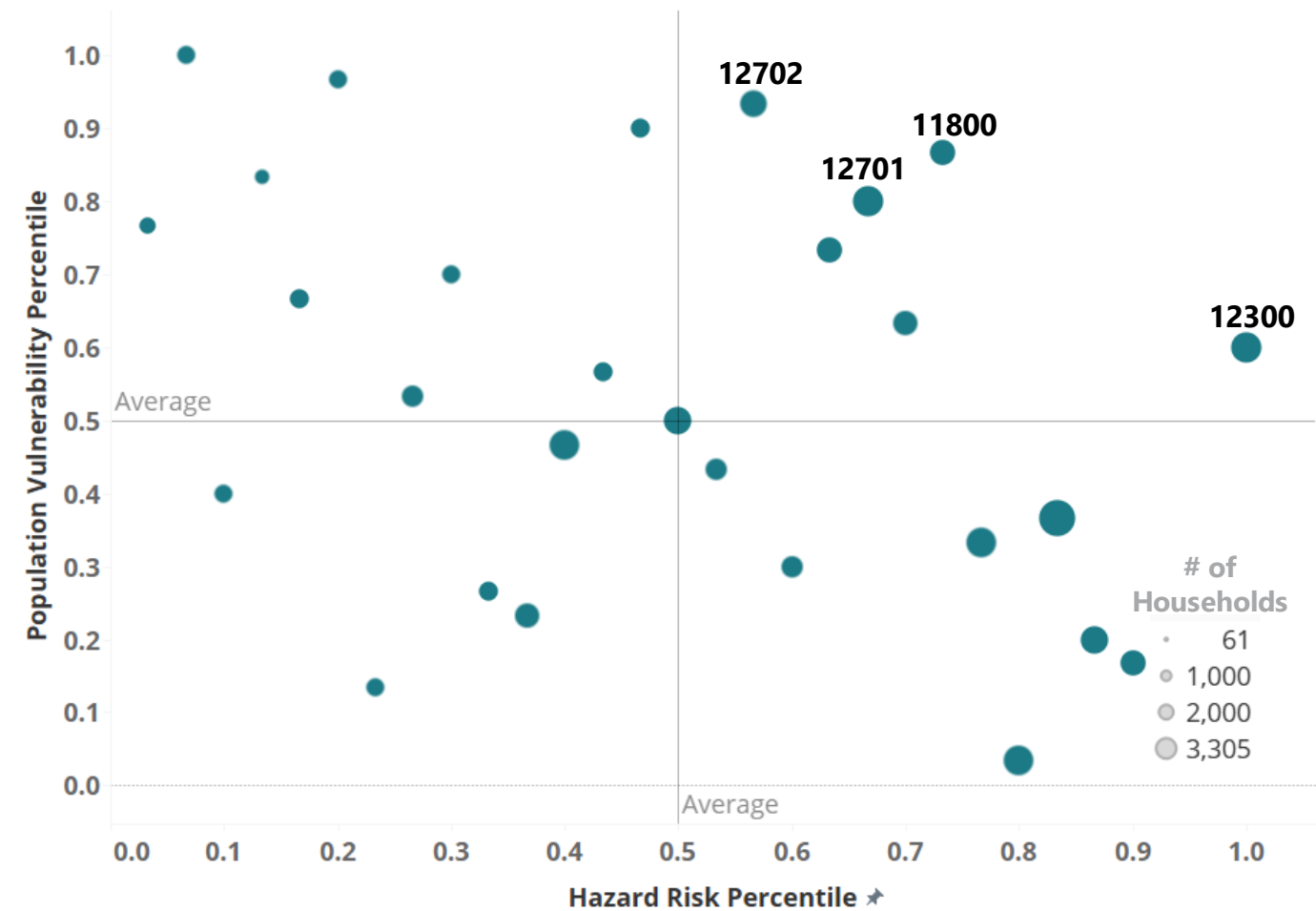
## How to interpret the Census Tract plots

The chart below represents a *sample* locality and offers guidance on how to interpret the information when planning mitigation efforts.



# Prioritizing Census Tracts in Portsmouth City

Areas with the most vulnerable populations and households in severe flood and hurricane zones present prioritization opportunities for mitigation projects.



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

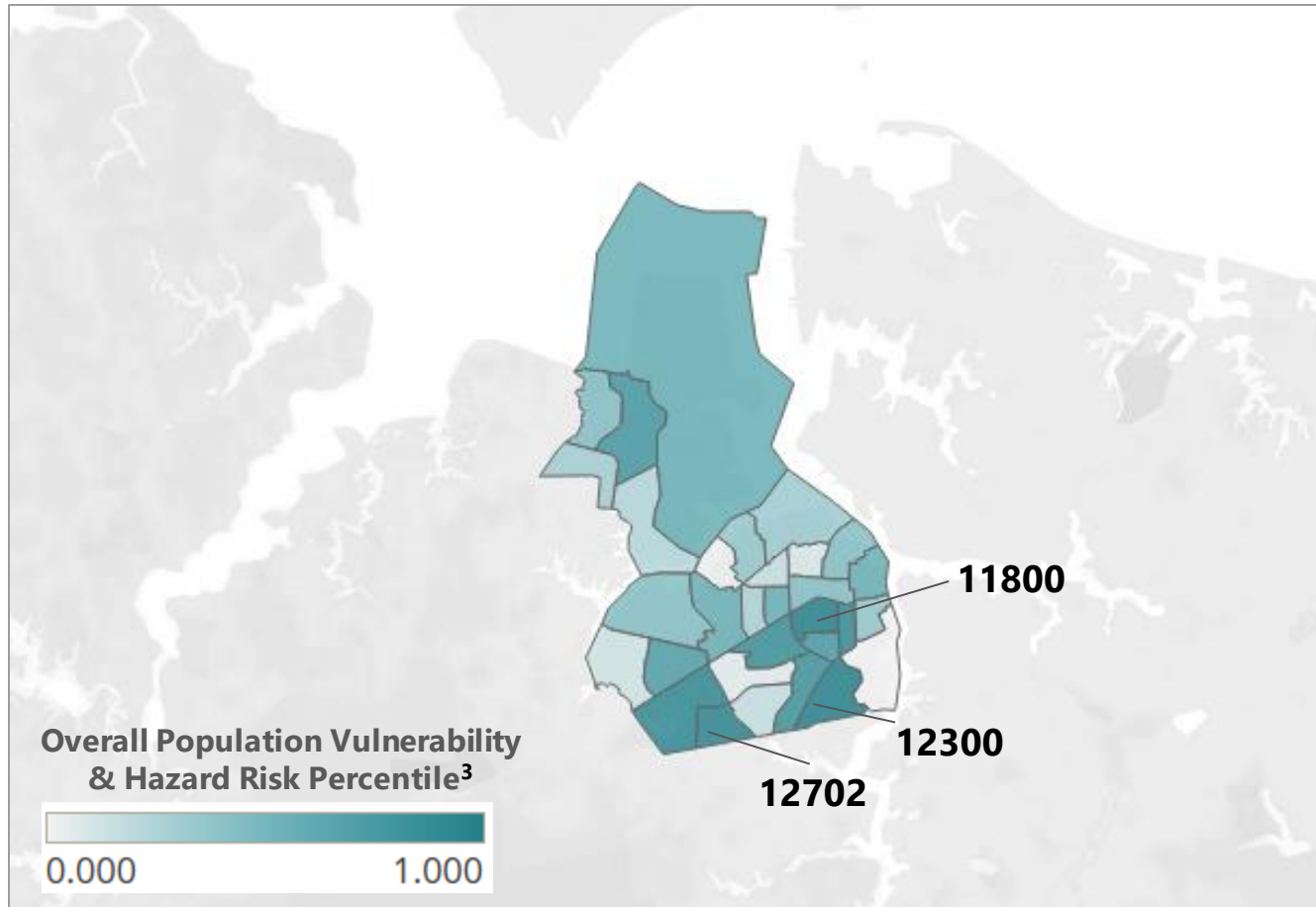
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## Prioritizing Census Tracts in Portsmouth City continued

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Potential Priority Areas in Portsmouth City



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

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## Priority Census Tracts Summary

When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, it may be helpful to consider the underlying attributes of population vulnerability and the number of houses in each flood/hurricane zone.

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Within-Portsmouth City Percentiles									
			Overall	Population Vulnerability <sup>1</sup>	Communities of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unemployment Risk	Age	Lack of Vehicle Access
1	12300	2623	97th	60th	47th	43rd	67th	33rd	63rd	53rd	3rd	53rd
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3	12702	1978	93rd	93rd	97th	30th	77th	90th	50th	33rd	90th	70th

#	Census Tract	# of Households	W/I-Portsmouth City Percentiles		Portsmouth City Household Counts <sup>3</sup>							
			Overall	Hazard Risk <sup>2</sup>	100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
1	12300	2,623	97th	100th	0	0	1276	1174	2623	0	0	0
2	11800	1,782	97th	73rd	0	0	244	791	0	1342	440	0
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# Review of FEMA Funding & Past Mitigation Projects

## Review of Mitigation Projects In Your Locality

The figures below provide information regarding mitigation projects<sup>1</sup> in your locality from 1990-2019 that may be helpful to consider in planning potential future mitigation projects.

Total Exclusive Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$162,788**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects solely owned by your locality from 1990-2019

Total Shared Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$255,941**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects owned by your locality and at least 1 other from 1990-2019

Exclusive Projects

**2**

Average Exclusive Project Size

**\$81K**

Shared Projects

**2**

Average Counties Per Shared Project

**9.5**

Count of Mitigation Projects by Fiscal Year

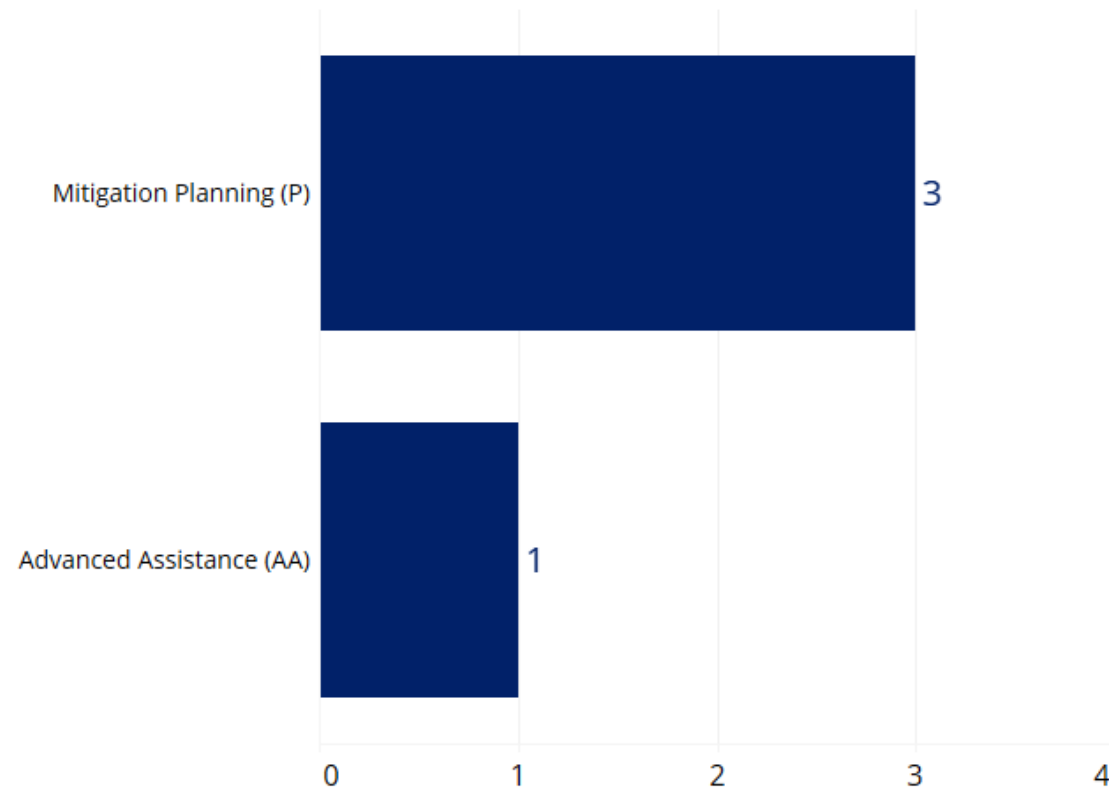


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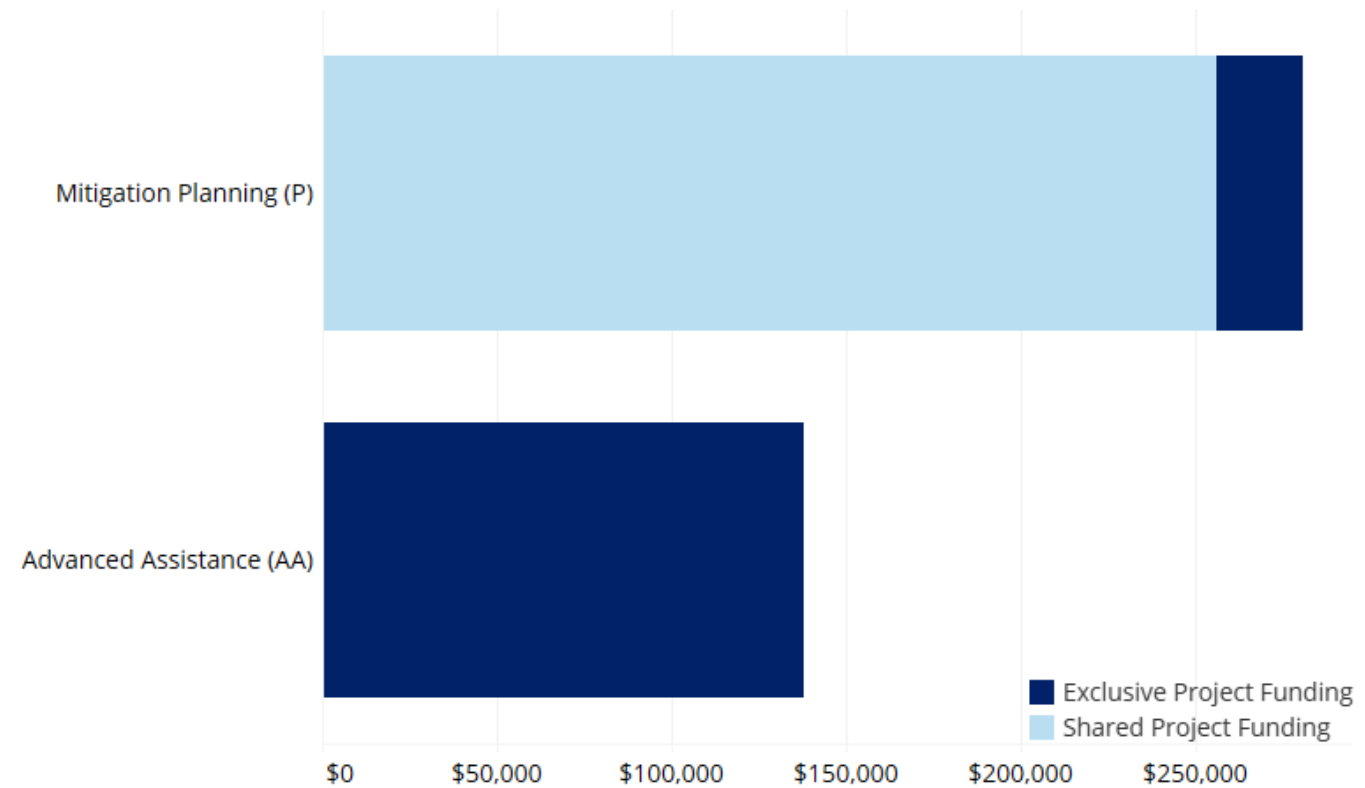
## Past Mitigation Projects – Top Project Types

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### Mitigation Project Types Since 1990<sup>1</sup>



### Funding by Mitigation Project Type Since 1990<sup>1</sup>

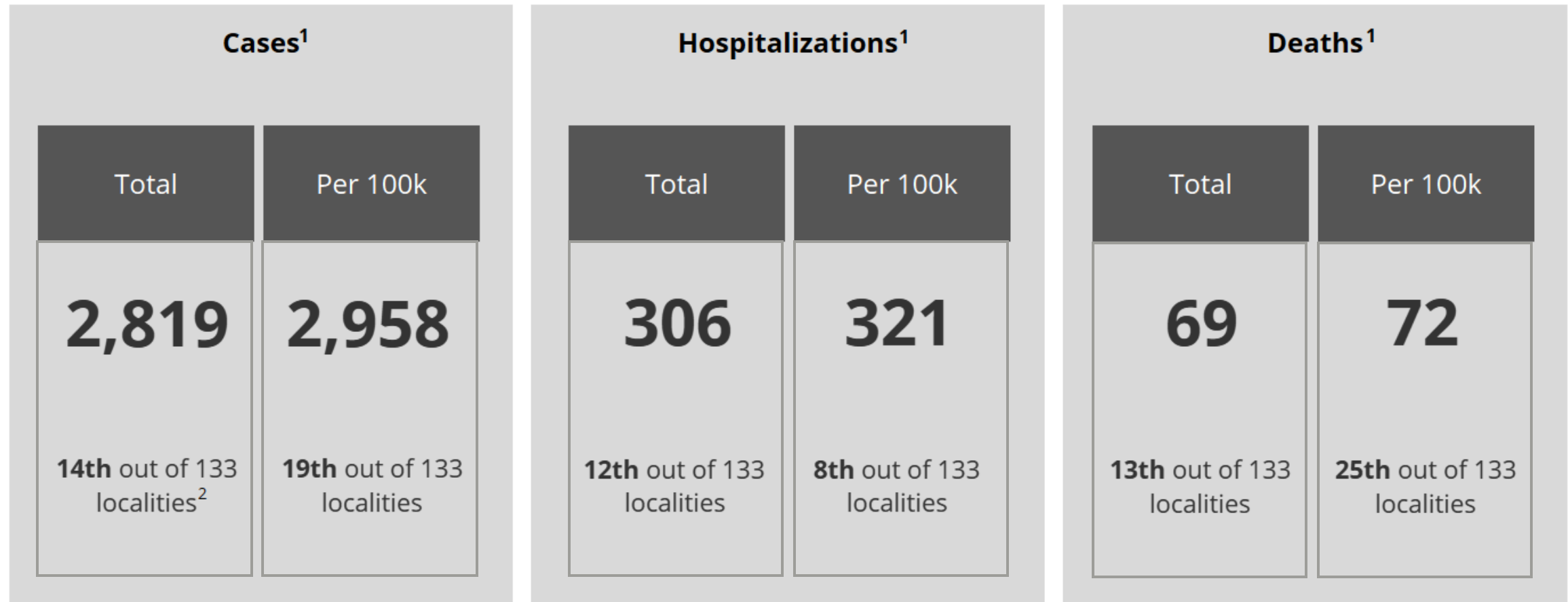


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# COVID-19 Impacts

## COVID-19 In Your Locality

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Portsmouth City has experienced the following:



1. COVID-19 case, hospitalization, and death figures are sourced from the Virginia Department of Health as of **10/26/2020**

2. COVID-19 Impact rankings are for all 133 Virginia localities, rather than the 132 included in the BRIC analysis for having at least one household in a flood or hurricane zone

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When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, the population vulnerability and hazard risk metrics can supplement existing measures to design mitigation projects with an equity lens.

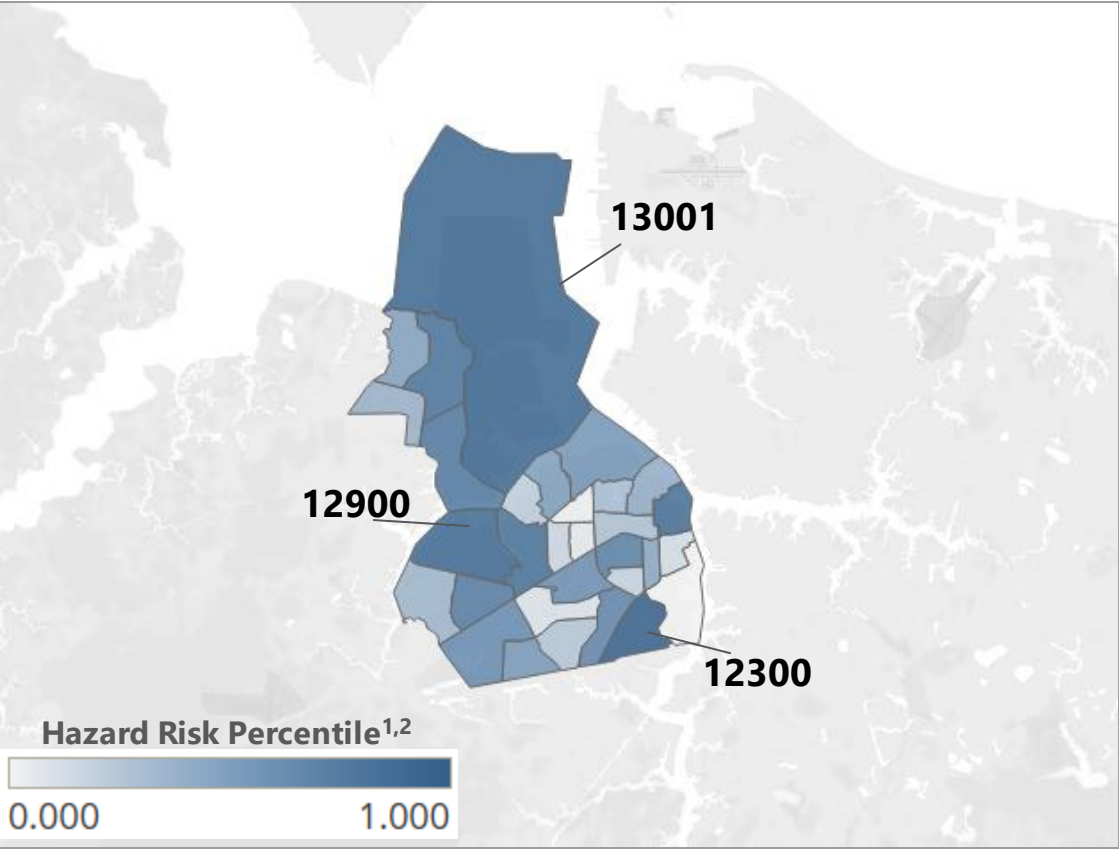
- Consider targeting **priority areas** when designing future mitigation projects
- Consider analysis at the **census tract/block level** to understand population vulnerability and hazard risks at a granular level to support decisions on mitigation projects
- Consider **supplementing these people-focused metrics** with existing infrastructure, elevation, and financial analysis for a holistic mitigation planning approach that includes equity considerations
- Consider **past project types** and **prior funding** in the overall mitigation strategy

# Appendix

# What areas in your locality have the greatest hazard risk?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that have the greatest number of households residing in the more severe flood and/or hurricane zones.

Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> in Portsmouth City



Top-5 Census Tracts for Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup>

				Portsmouth City Household Counts							
#	Census Tract	# of House-holds	Hazard Risk Percentile	100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
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## What is population vulnerability and how is it calculated? *continued*

The vulnerability score for each Virginia household reflects an estimate of the household's ability to safely respond in the event of an environmental disaster.



### Population Vulnerability

Attribute <sup>1</sup>	Weighting <sup>2</sup>	Description (in a household)
Low Income	18%	Number of adults with income less than \$30,000
Elevated Health Risk	17%	Number of adults with one or more serious health conditions
Age (Older Adults)	15%	Number of adults who are age 65 and older
Communities of Color	13%	Number of Black or African American or Hispanic or Latino adults
# of Children in Household	12%	Number of children
# of People in Household	10%	Number of adults and children
Unemployment Risk	8%	Number of adults at high risk of unemployment
Lack of Vehicle Access	6%	Does the household lack access to a motor vehicle?

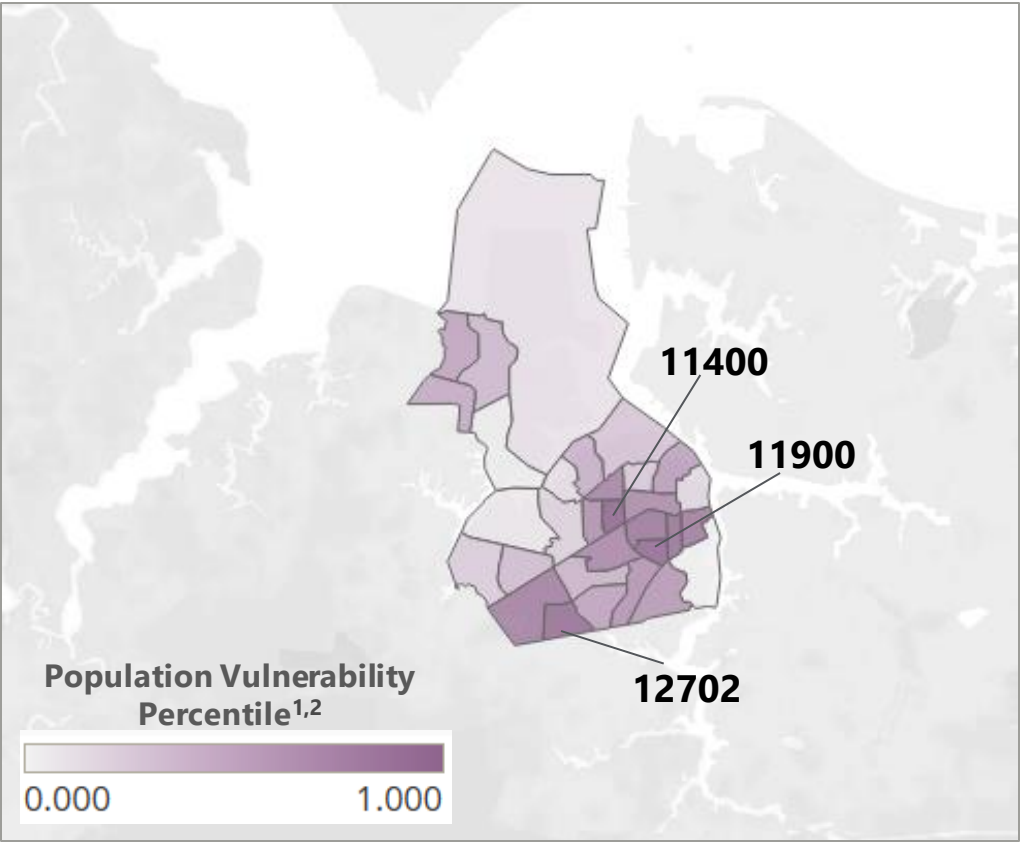
1. Two attributes - English as a Primary Language and Prevalence of Mobile Housing - were dropped from consideration based on the 8/20/2020 BRIC Working Group Session

2. Attribute contributions to Population Vulnerability were weighted as a result of the BRIC Working Group Session on 8/20/2020

# What areas in your locality have the greatest population vulnerability?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that are home to the most vulnerable individuals in the event of an environmental disaster.

## Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> in Portsmouth City



## Top-5 Census Tracts for Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup>

Within-Portsmouth City Percentiles											
#	Census Tract	# of House-holds	Pop. Vul.	Comm. of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unem. Risk	Age	Vehicle Access
1	11400	844	100th	87th	97th	97th	67th	87th	77th	80th	83rd
2	11900	867	97th	90th	100th	100th	70th	93rd	87th	47th	60th
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# Data table | Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Percentiles										Within-locality Household Counts								
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					904.2: Advance Assistance (FMA and PDMC)	\$137,813
	2012	Shared	HAMPTON ROADS PLANNING DISTRICT COMMISSION	ISLE OF WIGHT; JAMES CITY; WILLIAMSBURG (CITY); VIRGINIA BEACH (CITY); SUFFOLK (CITY); PORTSMOUTH (CITY); POQUOSON (CITY); NORFOLK (CITY); NEWPORT NEWS (CITY); HAMPTON (CITY); FRANKLIN (CITY); SO..	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigation Plan	\$163,140
	2010	Shared	Hampton Roads Planning District Commission	ISLE OF WIGHT; NORFOLK CITY; PORTSMOUTH CITY; SUFFOLK CITY; VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigation Plan	\$92,801

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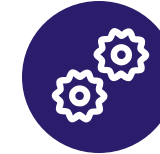
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**Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> Rank**  
**2nd**  
Your locality’s Hazard Risk score is ranked 2nd out of 132 Virginia localities

Households in Flood Zones & Locality Rank			
← 100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine Floodway	100 Year Riverine	Severity 500 Year Riverine →
31	0	19,167	23,907
3rd out of 132 Localities	N/A out of 132 Localities	2nd out of 132 Localities	1st out of 132 Localities

Households in Hurricane Zones & Locality Rank			
← Zone A	Zone B	Zone C	Severity Zone D →
29,065	34,270	47,645	5
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### Population Vulnerability

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## Population Vulnerability in Your Locality

The figures below indicate how your locality's population vulnerability<sup>1</sup> score and composite attributes compare to other localities in Virginia.

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Percentile

**73rd**

On average, a household in a flood or hurricane zone in your locality is more vulnerable than a household in 73% of other Virginia localities

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Rank

**37th**

Your locality's Population Vulnerability score is ranked 37th out of 132 Virginia localities

### How NORFOLK CITY Compares to Other Localities Across the Eight Vulnerability Attributes

#### Low Income

**60th**

percentile

#### Elevated Health Risk

**80th**

percentile

#### Age

**9th**

percentile

#### Communities of Color

**83rd**

percentile

#### # of Children in Household

**43rd**

percentile

#### # of People in Household

**24th**

percentile

#### Unemployment Risk

**56th**

percentile

#### Lack of Vehicle Access

**83rd**

percentile

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## Using Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk to Prioritize Census Tracts

Combining population vulnerability and hazard risk at a sub-locality level can identify potential priority areas to support with future mitigation projects.

### **Population Vulnerability**

Prevalence of:

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### **Hazard Risk**

Number of households in each zone:

#### **Flood zones**

- 100 year coastal
- 100 year riverine floodway
- 100 year riverine
- 500 year riverine

#### **Hurricane zones**

- Segmented A, B, C, D



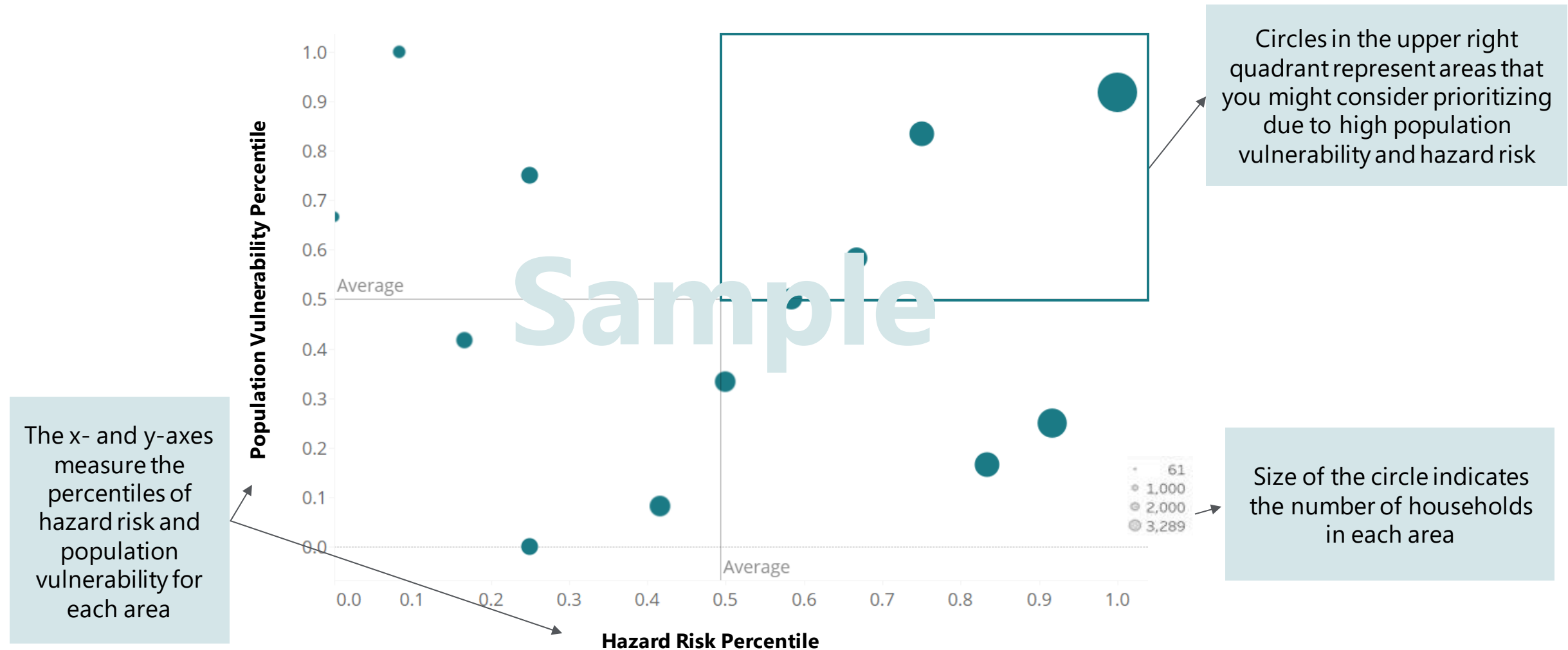
### **Prioritized Census Tracts**

- High Population Vulnerability
- High Hazard Risk

Census tracts with both more households in severe flood/hurricane zones AND households with more vulnerable occupants

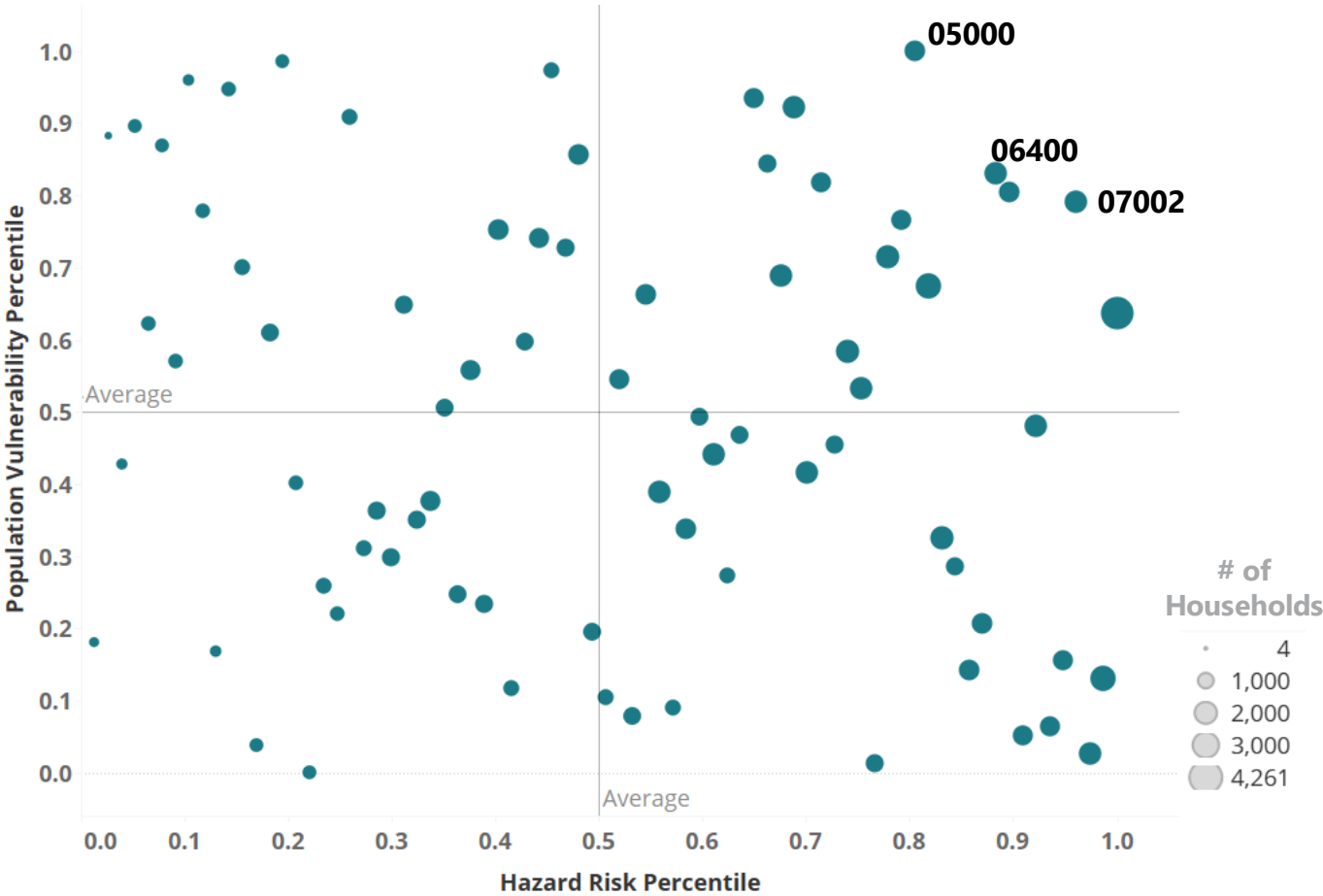
## How to interpret the Census Tract plots

The chart below represents a *sample* locality and offers guidance on how to interpret the information when planning mitigation efforts.



# Prioritizing Census Tracts in Norfolk City

Areas with the most vulnerable populations and households in severe flood and hurricane zones present prioritization opportunities for mitigation projects.



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

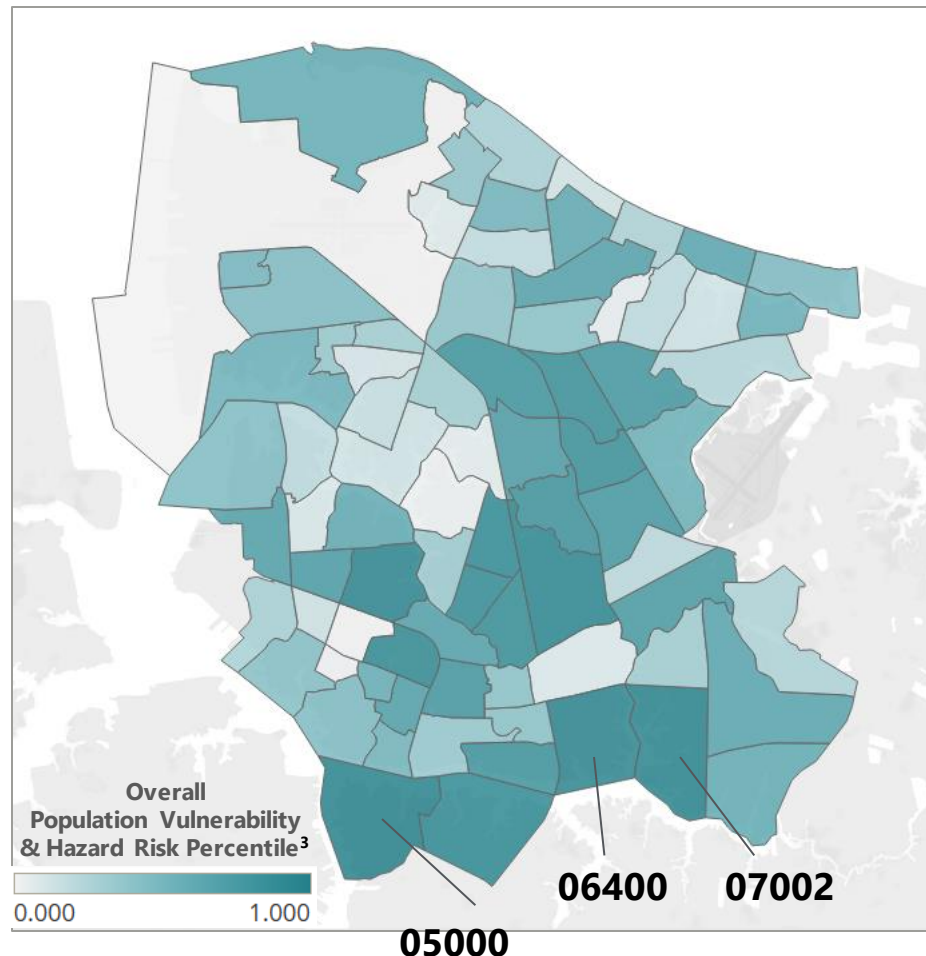
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## Prioritizing Census Tracts in Norfolk City continued

Areas with the most vulnerable populations and households in severe flood and hurricane zones present prioritization opportunities for mitigation projects.

Potential Priority Areas in Norfolk City



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

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## Priority Census Tracts Summary

When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, it may be helpful to consider the underlying attributes of population vulnerability and the number of houses in each flood/hurricane zone.

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Within-Norfolk City Percentiles									
			Overall	Population Vulnerability <sup>1</sup>	Communities of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unemployment Risk	Age	Lack of Vehicle Access
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#	Census Tract	# of Households	W/I-Norfolk City Percentiles		Norfolk City Household Counts <sup>3</sup>							
			Overall	Hazard Risk <sup>2</sup>	100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
1	05000	1,737	100th	81st	0	0	297	470	577	966	194	0
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# Review of FEMA Funding & Past Mitigation Projects

## Review of Mitigation Projects In Your Locality

The figures below provide information regarding mitigation projects<sup>1</sup> in your locality from 1990-2019 that may be helpful to consider in planning potential future mitigation projects.

Total Exclusive Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$14,695,648**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects solely owned by your locality from 1990-2019

Total Shared Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$255,941**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects owned by your locality and at least 1 other from 1990-2019

Exclusive Projects

**21**

Average Exclusive Project Size

**\$700K**

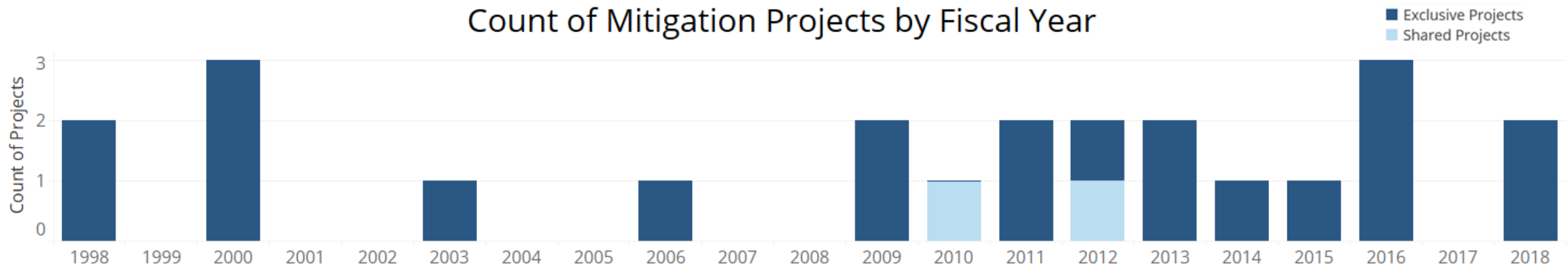
Shared Projects

**2**

Average Counties Per Shared Project

**9.5**

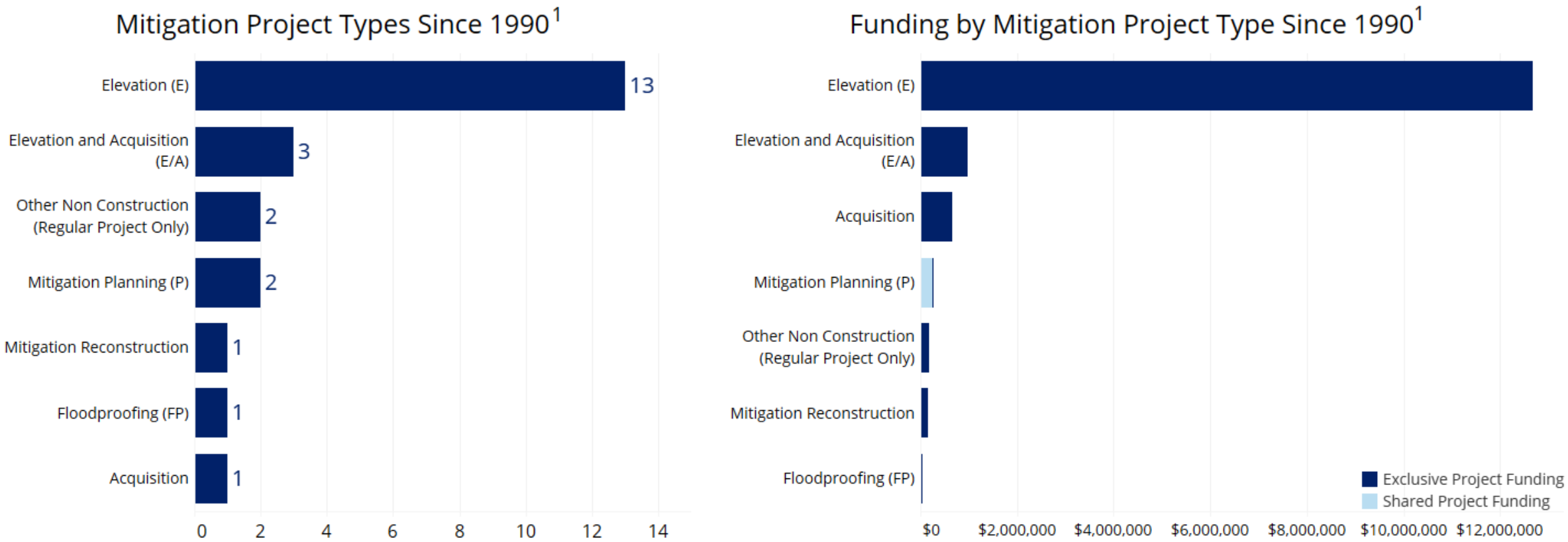
Count of Mitigation Projects by Fiscal Year



1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov)

# Past Mitigation Projects – Top Project Types

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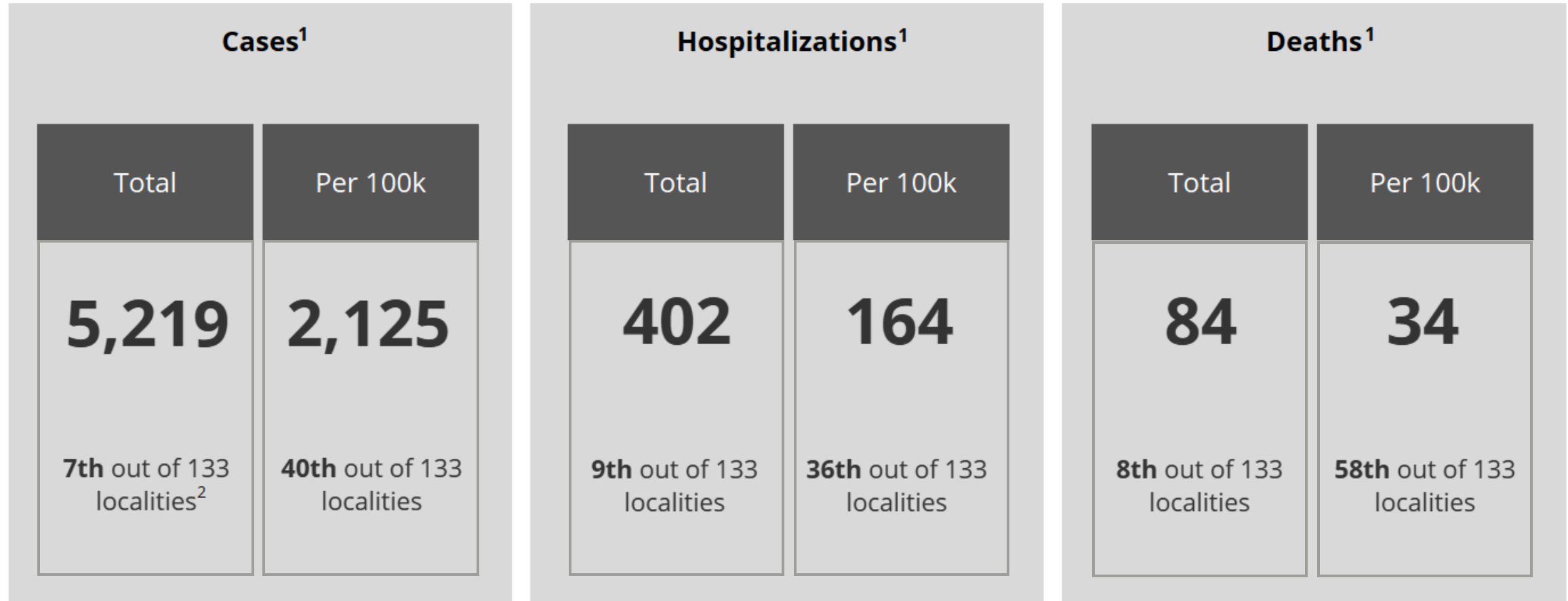


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# COVID-19 Impacts

## COVID-19 In Your Locality

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Norfolk City has experienced the following:



1. COVID-19 case, hospitalization, and death figures are sourced from the Virginia Department of Health as of **10/21/2020**

2. COVID-19 Impact rankings are for all 133 Virginia localities, rather than the 132 included in the BRIC analysis for having at least one household in a flood or hurricane zone

# Considerations for Next Steps

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When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, the population vulnerability and hazard risk metrics can supplement existing measures to design mitigation projects with an equity lens.

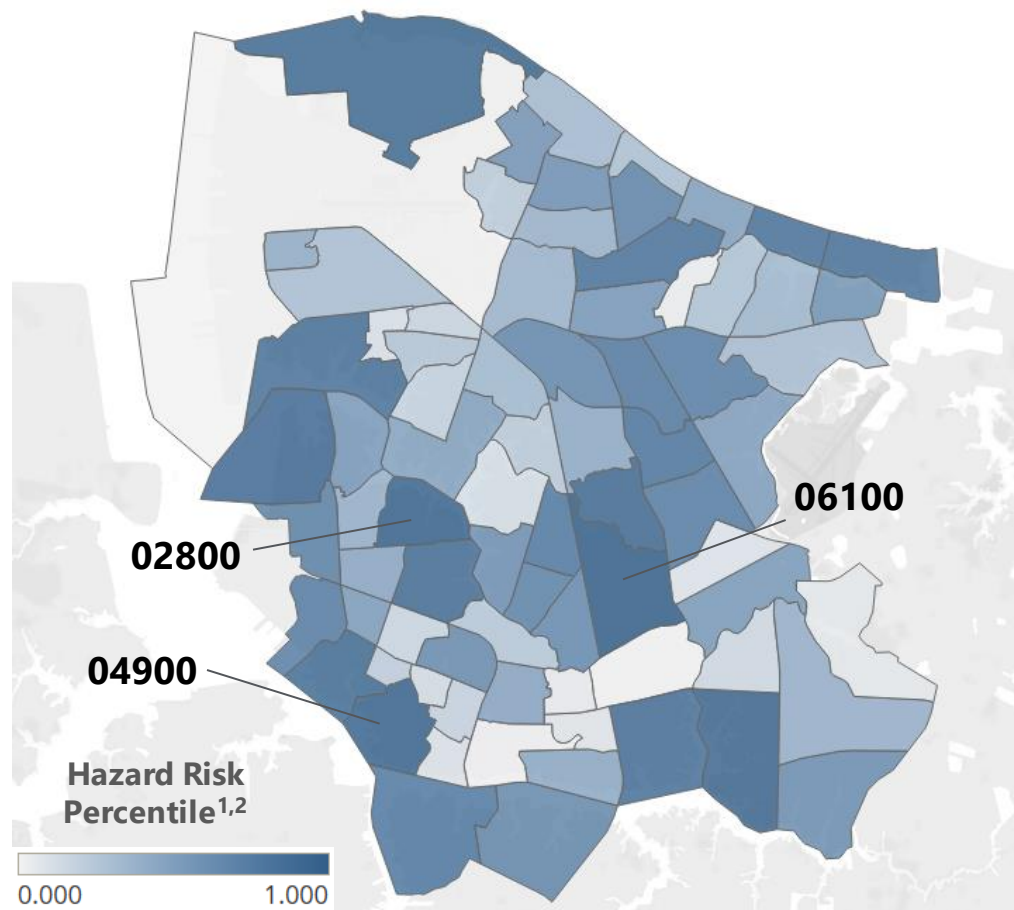
- Consider targeting **priority areas** when designing future mitigation projects
- Consider analysis at the **census tract/block level** to understand population vulnerability and hazard risks at a granular level to support decisions on mitigation projects
- Consider **supplementing these people-focused metrics** with existing infrastructure, elevation, and financial analysis for a holistic mitigation planning approach that includes equity considerations
- Consider **past project types** and **prior funding** in the overall mitigation strategy

# Appendix

## What areas in your locality have the greatest hazard risk?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that have the greatest number of households residing in the more severe flood and/or hurricane zones.

**Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> in Norfolk City**



**Top-5 Census Tracts for Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup>**

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Hazard Risk Percentile	Norfolk City Household Counts							
				100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
1	06100	4,261	100th	0	0	118	918	1054	1524	1683	0
2	02800	2,434	99th	0	0	1466	846	1281	1153	0	0
3	04900	2,055	97th	31	0	1124	625	1863	192	0	0
4	07002	2,042	96th	0	0	629	938	1340	0	702	0
5	00400	1,624	95th	0	0	1600	24	1624	0	0	0

**Note:** see the appendix for a data table for the Top 15 Census Tracts

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2. Census tracts at the 0<sup>th</sup> percentile (areas in white) do not have households in Flood or Hurricane Zones

## What is population vulnerability and how is it calculated? *continued*

The vulnerability score for each Virginia household reflects an estimate of the household's ability to safely respond in the event of an environmental disaster.



### Population Vulnerability

Attribute <sup>1</sup>	Weighting <sup>2</sup>	Description (in a household)
Low Income	18%	Number of adults with income less than \$30,000
Elevated Health Risk	17%	Number of adults with one or more serious health conditions
Age (Older Adults)	15%	Number of adults who are age 65 and older
Communities of Color	13%	Number of Black or African American or Hispanic or Latino adults
# of Children in Household	12%	Number of children
# of People in Household	10%	Number of adults and children
Unemployment Risk	8%	Number of adults at high risk of unemployment
Lack of Vehicle Access	6%	Does the household lack access to a motor vehicle?

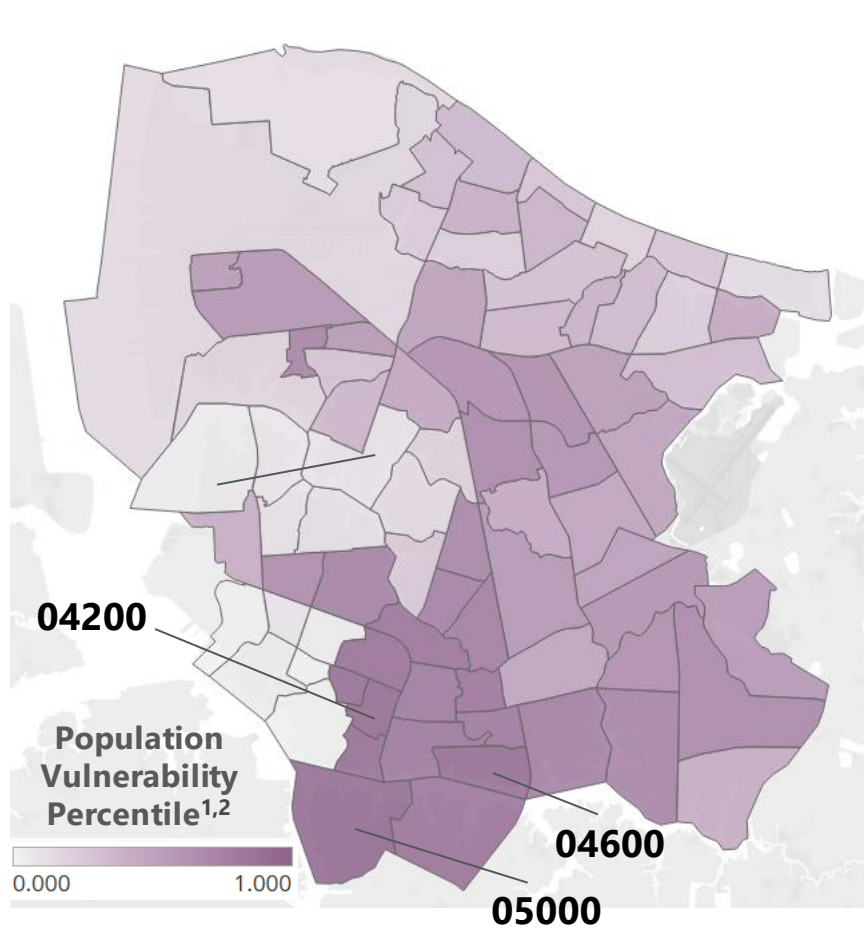
1. Two attributes - English as a Primary Language and Prevalence of Mobile Housing - were dropped from consideration based on the 8/20/2020 BRIC Working Group Session

2. Attribute contributions to Population Vulnerability were weighted as a result of the BRIC Working Group Session on 8/20/2020

# What areas in your locality have the greatest population vulnerability?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that are home to the most vulnerable individuals in the event of an environmental disaster.

Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> in Norfolk City



Top-5 Census Tracts for Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup>

Within-Norfolk City Percentiles											
#	Census Tract	# of House-holds	Pop. Vul.	Comm. of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unem. Risk	Age	Vehicle Access
1	05000	1,737	100th	97th	57th	96th	83rd	90th	100th	57th	91st
2	04200	711	99th	78th	58th	97th	60th	92nd	86th	12nd	100th
3	04600	1,000	97th	90th	79th	92nd	64th	84th	94th	38th	84th
4	04800	548	96th	79th	42nd	99th	87th	100th	53rd	4th	99th
5	04100	821	95th	82nd	31st	95th	88th	99th	84th	8th	97th

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# Data table | Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Overall	Percentiles									Hazard Risk	Within-locality Household Counts							
				Population Vulnerability	Communities of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unemployment Risk	Age	Lack of Vehicle Access		100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr Zone D
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7	03501	1,580	92nd	94th	88th	71st	91st	49th	73rd	90th	18th	96th	65th	0	0	0	380	0	1560	20	0
8	03100	1,631	91st	77th	71st	78th	68th	61st	83rd	34th	32nd	83rd	79th	0	0	53	767	463	1168	0	0
9	03200	1,577	90th	82nd	83rd	77th	73rd	55th	65th	71st	36th	49th	71st	0	0	45	665	61	1516	0	0
10	03300	1,500	88th	84th	92nd	90th	71st	66th	66th	45th	56th	42nd	66th	0	0	44	503	187	1313	0	0
11	05901	2,594	86th	68th	73rd	0th	86th	34th	64th	96th	16th	66th	82nd	0	0	0	0	0	0	2594	0
12	05800	2,367	86th	71st	86th	3rd	82nd	57th	79th	70th	45th	70th	78th	0	0	0	0	0	0	2367	0
13	04600	1,000	84th	97th	90th	79th	92nd	64th	84th	94th	38th	84th	45th	0	0	382	530	1000	0	0	0
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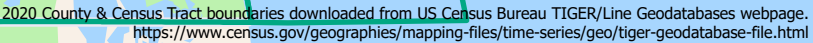
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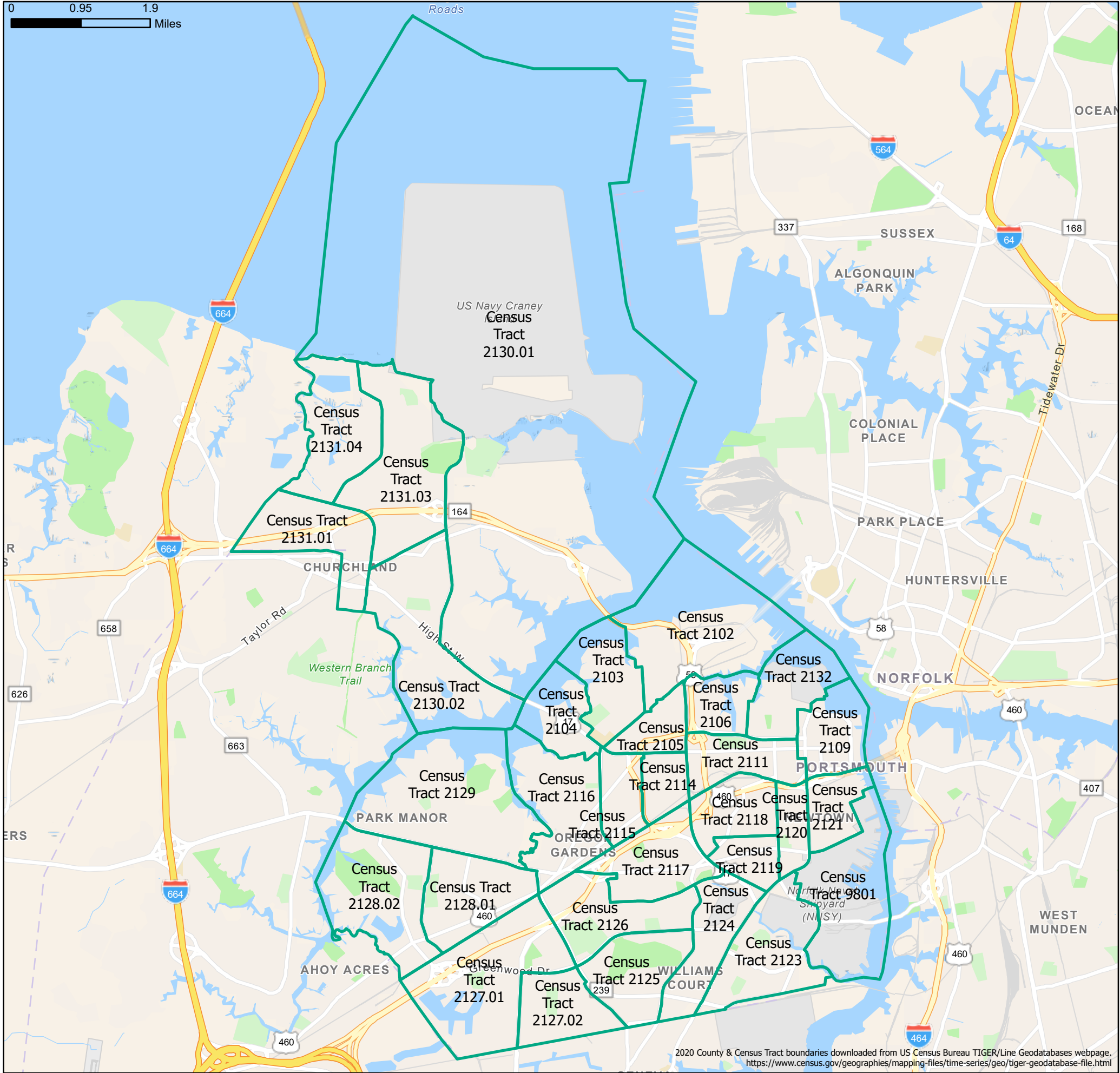
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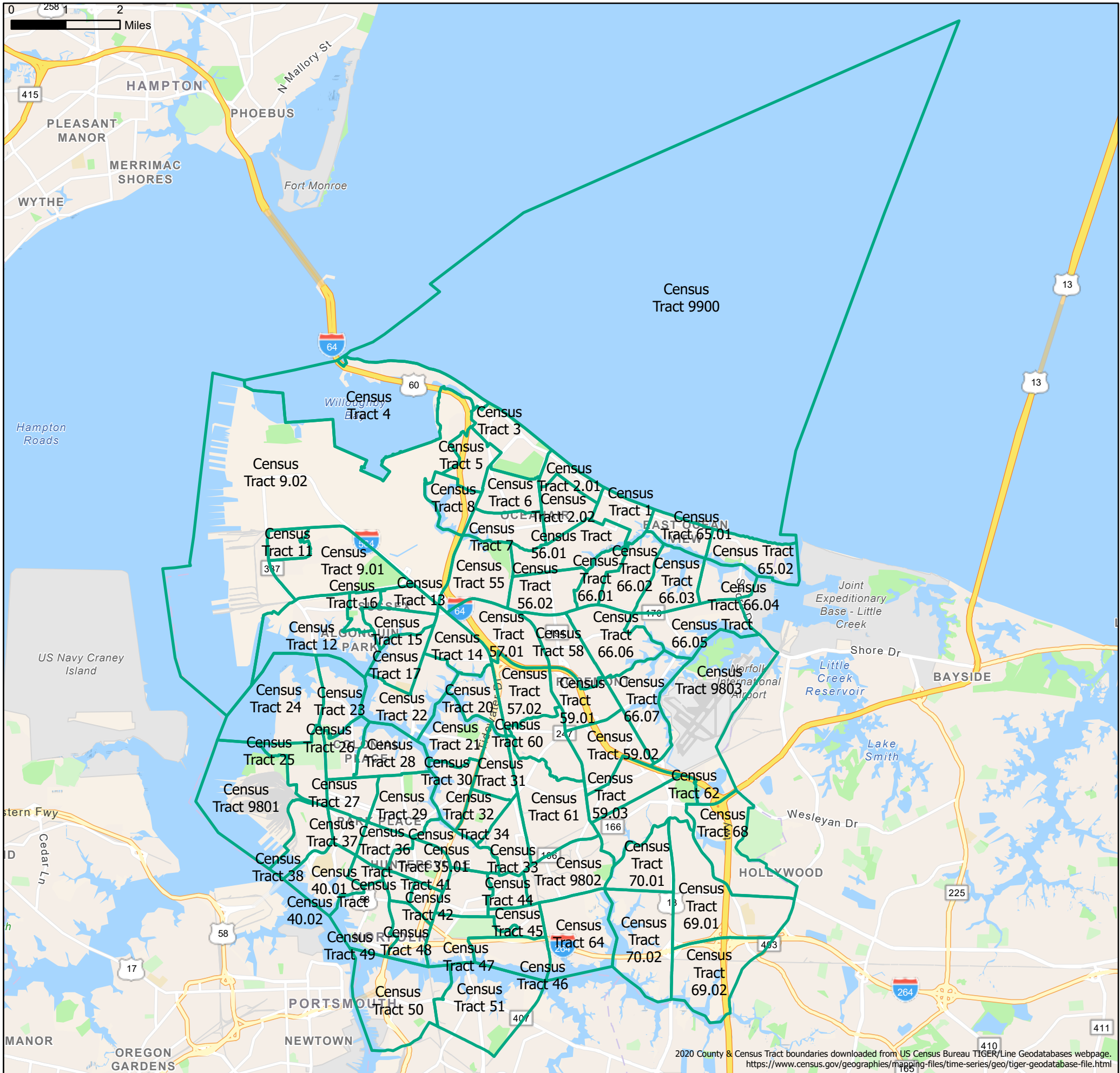
# Data table | FEMA Funding<sup>1</sup>

Grantee	Year of Fiscal Year	Exclusive vs Shared	Subgrantee	Project Counties	Project Type(s)	Federal Funds Obligated
NORFOLK CITY	2018	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$3,221,164
					207.2: Mitigation Reconstruction	\$150,000
	2016	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.1: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$1,188,600
					200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$652,523
			Norfolk	NORFOLK (CITY)	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$656,250
	2015	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.1: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$165,000
	2014	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$899,852
	2013	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$2,795,287
	2012	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$567,044
		Shared	HAMPTON R..	ISLE OF WIGHT; JAMES CITY; WILLIAM..	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigati..	\$163,140
	2011	Exclusive	Norfolk	NORFOLK (CITY)	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$480,092
					204.2: Dry Floodproofing Privat..	\$34,395
	2010	Shared	Hampton Ro..	ISLE OF WIGHT; NORFOLK CITY; PORT..	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigati..	\$92,801
	2009	Exclusive	City of Norfolk	NORFOLK CITY	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$1,089,901
	2006	Exclusive	Norfolk	NORFOLK (CITY)	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$20,517
	2003	Exclusive	Norfolk	NORFOLK (CITY)	202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$1,594,173
	2000	Exclusive	Norfolk	NORFOLK (CITY)	200.1: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$987,499
	1998	Exclusive	NORFOLK	NORFOLK (CITY)	106.1: Other Non Construction (..	\$193,350

1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov)









# COVID-19 Unified Command/VEST Health Equity Working Group

MITIGATION PROJECTS ANALYSIS  
CHESAPEAKE CITY

NOVEMBER 2020



## Topics

The analysis provides **Chesapeake City** with information to support planning and preparation of projects for the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) grant application with an equity focus.

- ☐ Introduction to Data-Driven Approach
- ☐ Hazard Risk
- ☐ Population Vulnerability
- ☐ Prioritization
- ☐ FEMA Funding and Past Projects
- ☐ Considerations for Next Steps

This analysis ***expands the scope of population vulnerability*** to provide a ***data-driven equity lens*** for disaster mitigation project design

## Data-Driven Approach

The Health360 platform informs population vulnerability and enables a data-driven approach to operationalizing equity in mitigation projects.

### Powered By Health360



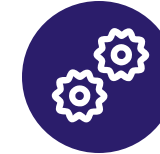
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**40+**  
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# What is hazard risk and how is it calculated?

Household Hazard risk reflects the number of households in each flood or hurricane zone, weighted by severity.



## Hazard Risk

Number of households in each zone:

### Flood zones

- 100 year coastal
- 100 year riverine flood way
- 100 year riverine
- 500 year riverine

### Hurricane zones

- Segmented A, B, C, D

- Households that reside in the flood and hurricane zones are considered to be **at-risk for environmental disasters**
- Hazard Risk reflects **the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones**
- Hazard Risk is not a measure of **infrastructure, elevation, or financial risks**, but is a measure of the number of at-risk households in an area, weighted by the severity of the risk, to **provide a people-focused risk metric**

**Note:** Severity of the risk per household is captured on an ordinal scale from 1 – least severe (Hurricane Zone D, 500 Year Riverine) to 4 – most severe (Hurricane Zone A, 100 Year Coastal)

Hazard Risk = (# of Households in Particular Hurricane or Flood Zones) X (Specified Zone Risk Level (1 through 4 depending on risk severity))

# Hazard Risk in Your Locality

The figures below indicate how your locality’s hazard risk<sup>1</sup> compares to others in Virginia as well as how many households reside in each flood or hurricane zone.

**Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> Percentile**

**98th**

Your locality has more households in more severe flood/hurricane zones than 98% of other Virginia localities

**Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> Rank**

**3rd**

Your locality’s Hazard Risk score is ranked 3rd out of 132 Virginia localities

Households in Flood Zones & Locality Rank			
← 100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine Floodway	100 Year Riverine	→ Severity 500 Year Riverine
0	0	9,876	7,229
N/A out of 132 Localities	N/A out of 132 Localities	4th out of 132 Localities	5th out of 132 Localities

Households in Hurricane Zones & Locality Rank			
← Zone A	Zone B	Zone C	→ Severity Zone D
17,587	25,041	31,291	26,964
3rd out of 132 Localities	3rd out of 132 Localities	3rd out of 132 Localities	2nd out of 132 Localities

Flood zones are geographic areas that FEMA has defined according to varying levels of flood risk

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Prevalence of:

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## Population Vulnerability in Your Locality

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### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Percentile

**50th**

On average, a household in a flood or hurricane zone in your locality is more vulnerable than a household in 50% of other Virginia localities

### Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> Rank

**67th**

Your locality's Population Vulnerability score is ranked 67th out of 132 Virginia localities

### How CHESAPEAKE CITY Compares to Other Localities Across the Eight Vulnerability Attributes

Low Income

**34th**

percentile

Elevated Health Risk

**31st**

percentile

Age

**24th**

percentile

Communities of Color

**81st**

percentile

# of Children in Household

**98th**

percentile

# of People in Household

**92nd**

percentile

Unemployment Risk

**43rd**

percentile

Lack of Vehicle Access

**32nd**

percentile

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## Using Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk to Prioritize Census Tracts

Combining population vulnerability and hazard risk at a sub-locality level can identify potential priority areas to support with future mitigation projects.

### Population Vulnerability

Prevalence of:

1. Communities of color
2. Elevated health risk
3. Low income
4. # of people in household
5. # of children in household
6. Unemployment risk
7. Age (older adults)
8. Lack of vehicle access



### Hazard Risk

Number of households in each zone:

#### Flood zones

- 100 year coastal
- 100 year riverine floodway
- 100 year riverine
- 500 year riverine

#### Hurricane zones

- Segmented A, B, C, D



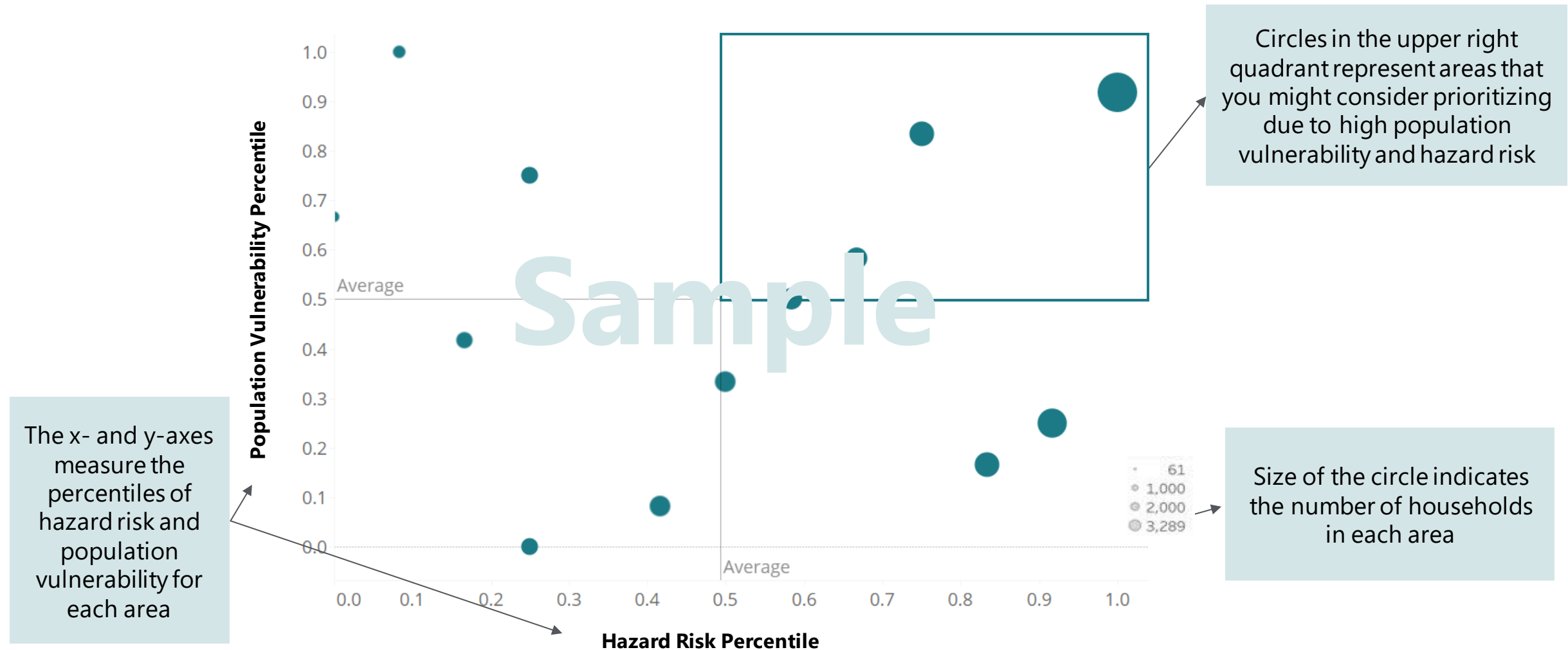
### Prioritized Census Tracts

- High Population Vulnerability
- High Hazard Risk

Census tracts with both more households in severe flood/hurricane zones AND households with more vulnerable occupants

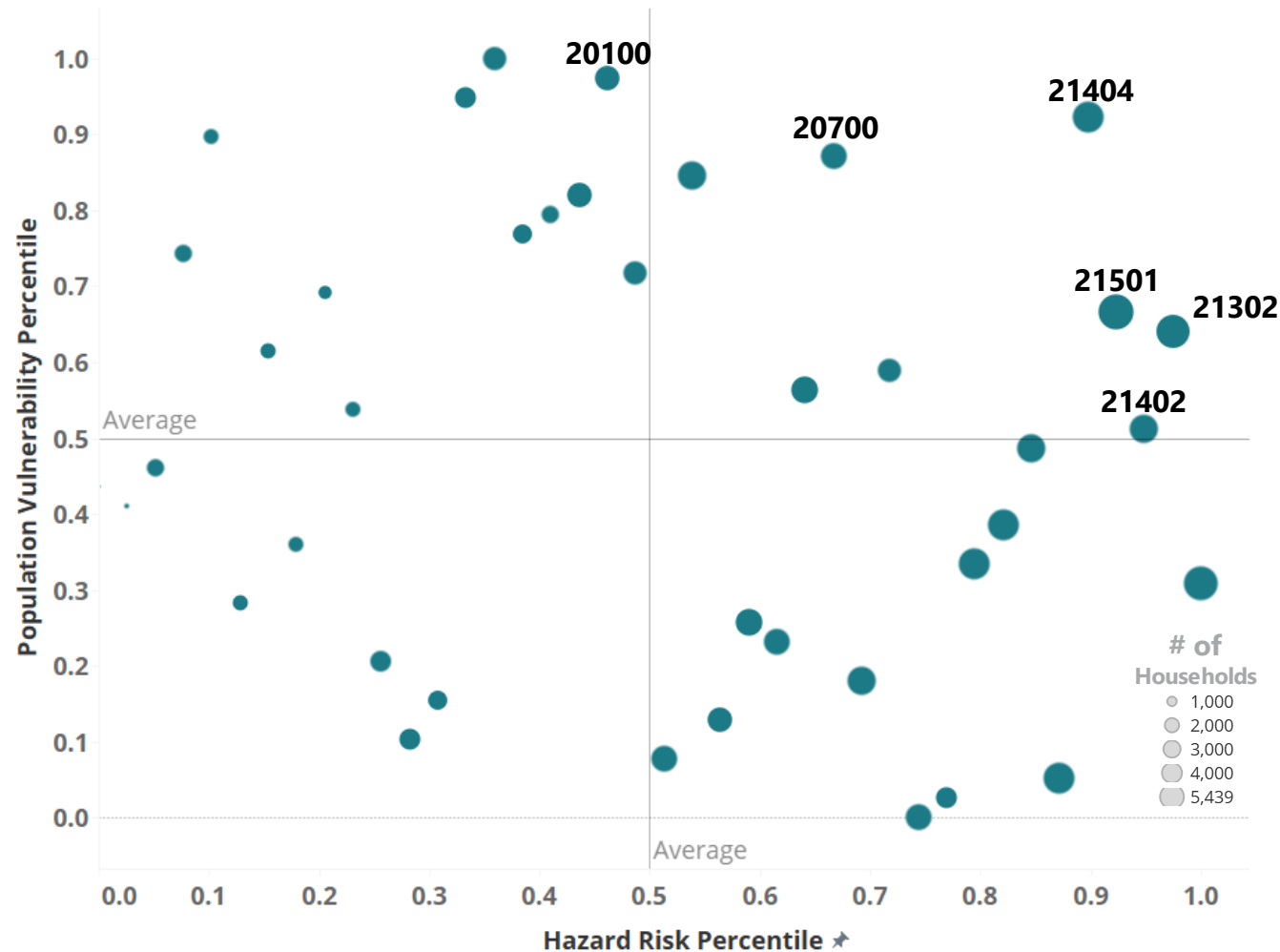
## How to interpret the Census Tract plots

The chart below represents a *sample* locality and offers guidance on how to interpret the information when planning mitigation efforts.



## Prioritizing Census Tracts in Chesapeake City

Areas with the most vulnerable populations and households in severe flood and hurricane zones present prioritization opportunities for mitigation projects.



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

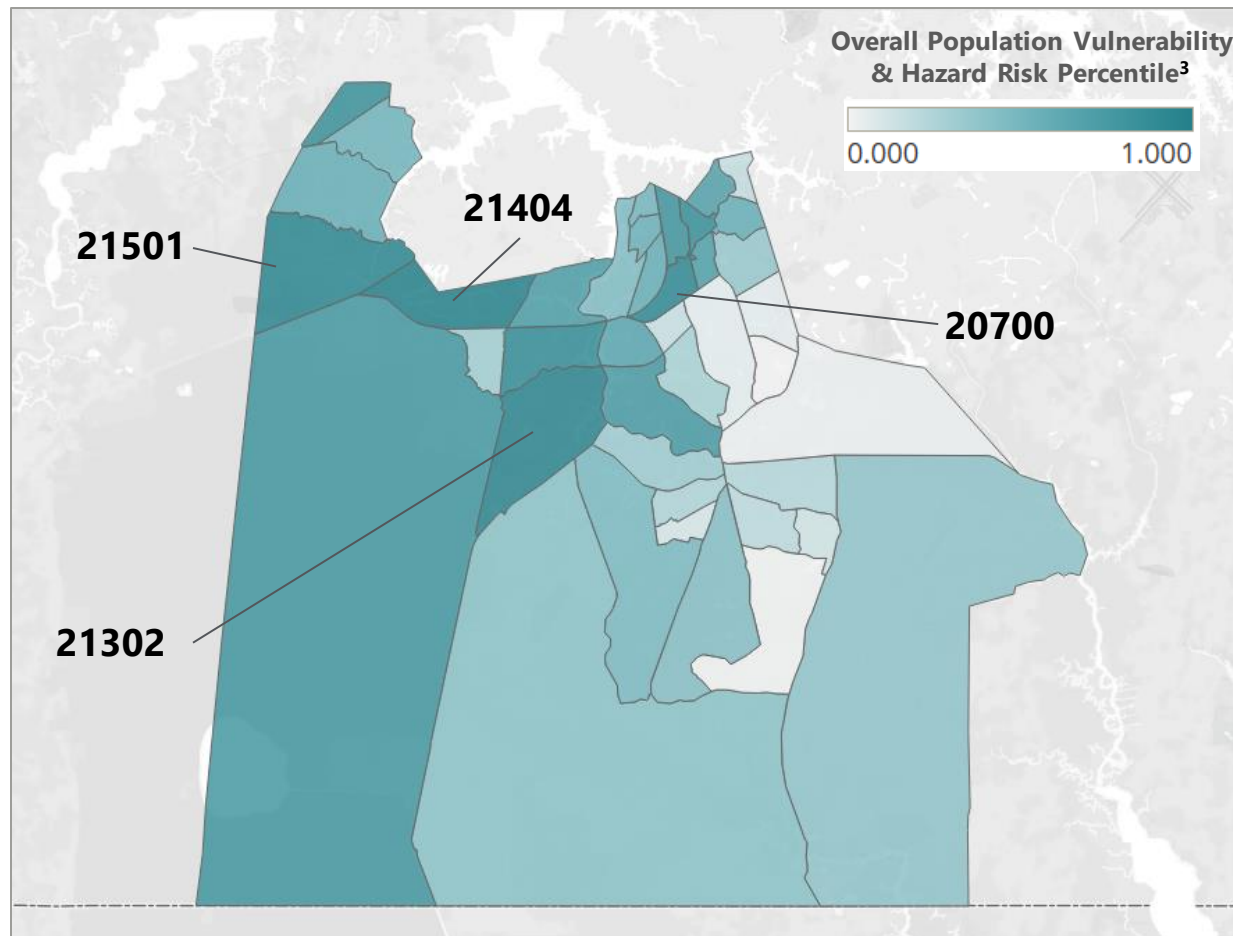
#	Area	# of Households	Within-Chesapeake City Percentiles		
			Overall Percentile	Population Vulnerability <sup>1</sup> Percentile	Hazard Risk <sup>2</sup> Percentile
1	21404	4,188	100th	92nd	90th
2	21302	4,876	97th	64th	97th
3	21501	5,439	95th	67th	92nd
4	20700	2,857	92nd	87th	67th
5	21402	3,593	90th	51st	95th
6	20100	2,551	87th	97th	46th
7	21602	3,541	85th	85th	54th
8	20200	2,373	82nd	100th	36th

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2. Hazard risk reflects the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones, weighted by severity

## Prioritizing Census Tracts in Chesapeake City continued

Areas with the most vulnerable populations and households in severe flood and hurricane zones present prioritization opportunities for mitigation projects.

Potential Priority Areas in Chesapeake City



Priority Areas in Flood and Hurricane Zones

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3. Sub-localities at the 0<sup>th</sup> percentile (areas in white) do not have households in Flood or Hurricane Zones

## Priority Census Tracts Summary

When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, it may be helpful to consider the underlying attributes of population vulnerability and the number of houses in each flood/hurricane zone.

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Within-Chesapeake City Percentiles									
			Overall	Population Vulnerability <sup>1</sup>	Communities of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unemployment Risk	Age	Lack of Vehicle Access
1	21404	4,188	100th	92nd	92nd	72nd	77th	46th	54th	44th	69th	10th
2	21302	4,876	97th	64th	79th	54th	21st	90th	97th	8th	10th	0th
3	21501	5,439	95th	67th	69th	46th	54th	69th	77th	41st	62nd	77th

#	Census Tract	# of Households	W/I-Chesapeake City Percentiles		Chesapeake City Household Counts <sup>3</sup>							
			Overall	Hazard Risk <sup>2</sup>	100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
1	21404	4,188	100th	90th	0	0	192	192	675	2720	791	2
2	21302	4,876	97th	97th	0	0	1367	1140	2005	2823	48	0
3	21501	5,439	95th	92nd	0	0	33	135	1	0	5279	159

1. Population Vulnerability should be interpreted as an average household's ability to safely respond to an environmental disaster and only considers households located in flood or hurricane zones
2. Hazard risk reflects the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones, weighted by severity
3. Note that the total sum of households may be more than the households in your locality because some are located in both flood and hurricane zones

# Review of FEMA Funding & Past Mitigation Projects

## Review of Mitigation Projects In Your Locality

The figures below provide information regarding mitigation projects<sup>1</sup> in your locality from 1990-2019 that may be helpful to consider in planning potential future mitigation projects.

### Total Exclusive Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$10,256,909**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects solely owned by your locality from 1990-2019

### Total Shared Project Funding<sup>1</sup>

**\$193,140**

This is the total amount of federal funding allotted to mitigation projects owned by your locality and at least 1 other from 1990-2019

### Exclusive Projects

**21**

### Average Exclusive Project Size

**\$488K**

### Shared Projects

**2**

### Average Counties Per Shared Project

**8.0**

### Count of Mitigation Projects by Fiscal Year

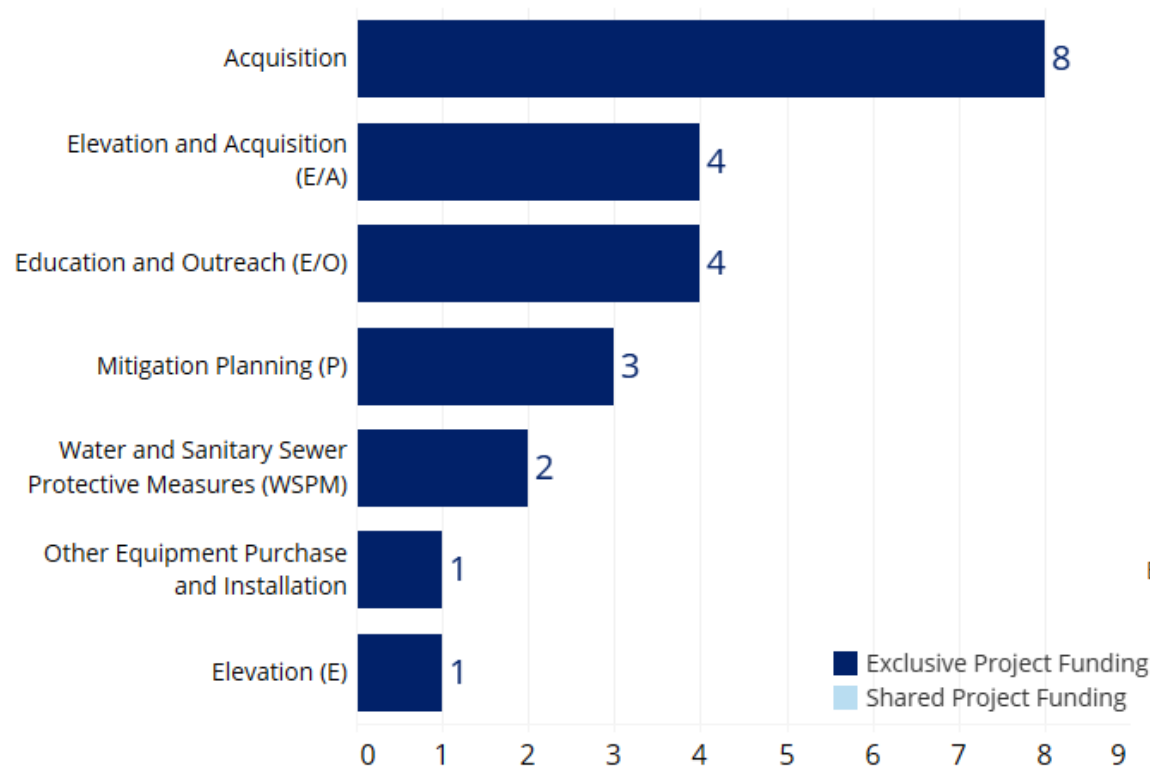


1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov)

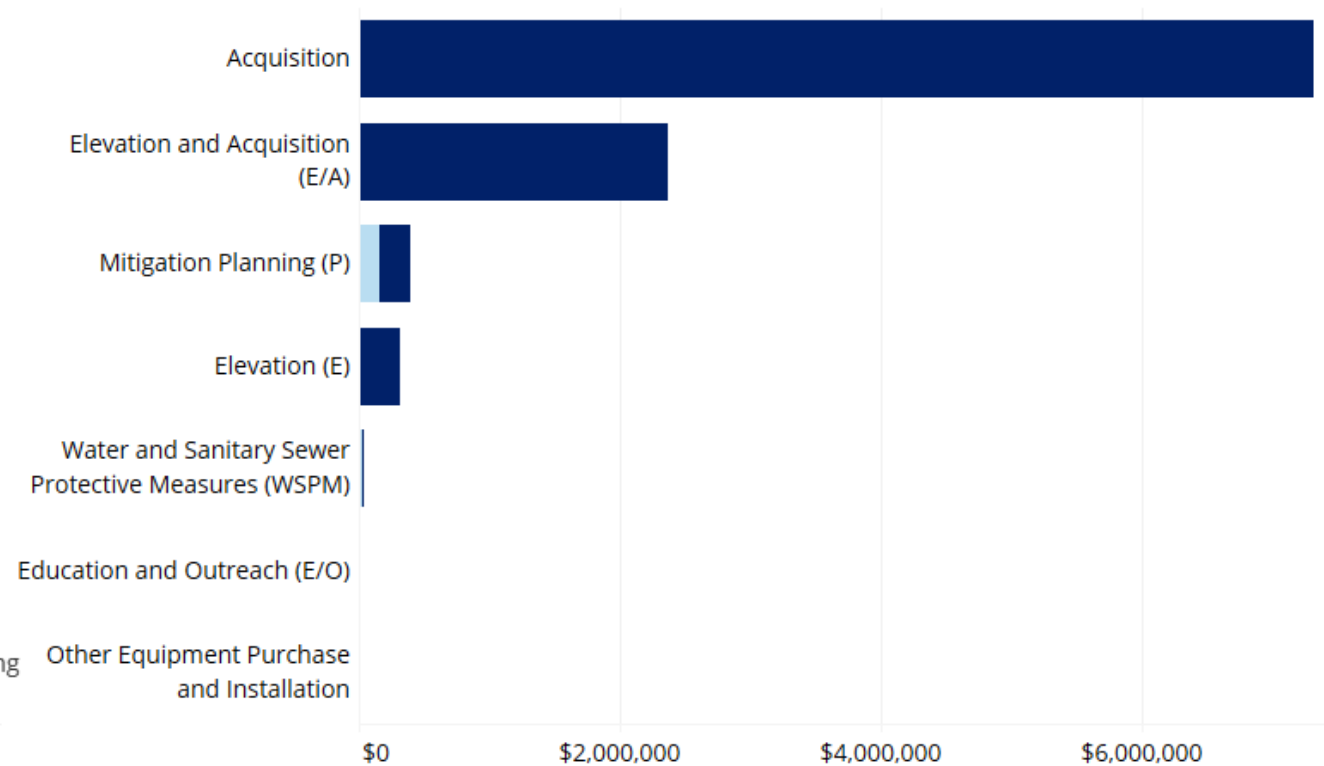
## Past Mitigation Projects – Top Project Types

The figures below provide information regarding mitigation projects<sup>1</sup> in your locality from 1990-2019 that may be helpful to consider in planning potential future mitigation projects.

### Mitigation Project Types Since 1990<sup>1</sup>



### Funding by Mitigation Project Type Since 1990<sup>1</sup>

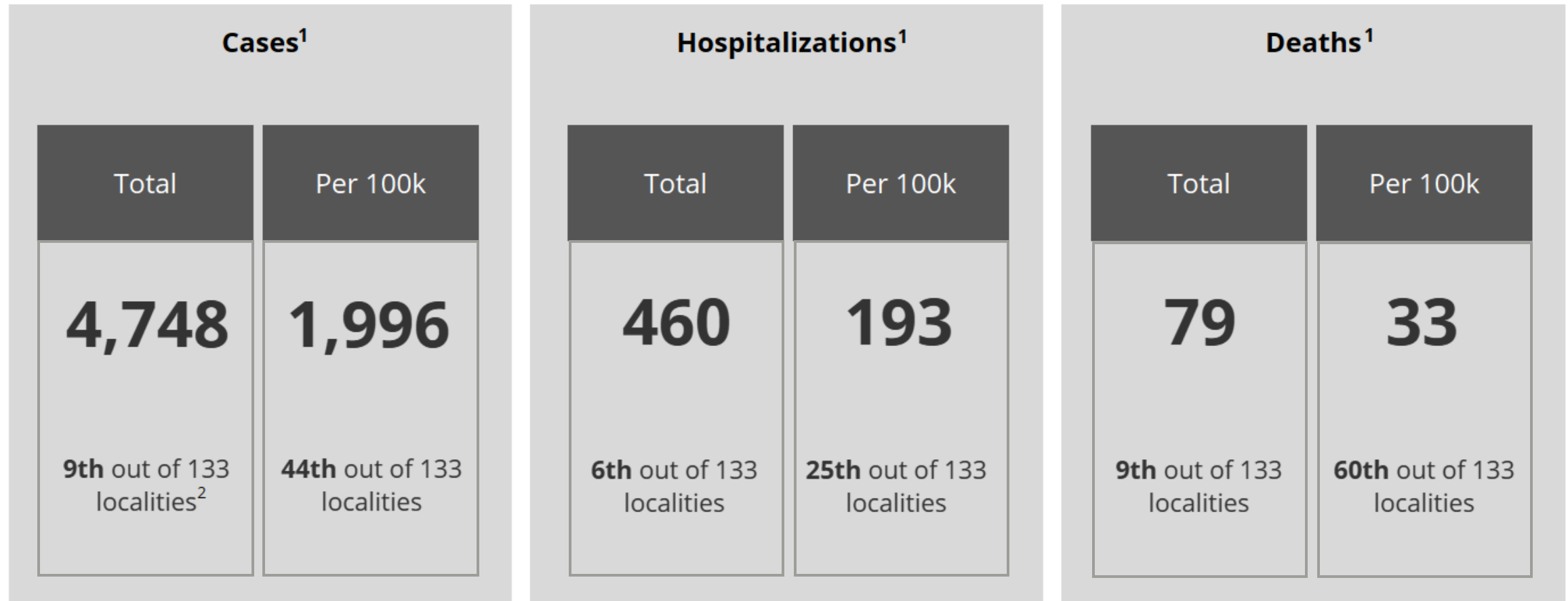


1. Source: FEMA Hazard Mitigation Projects-V2 dataset from [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov)

# COVID-19 Impacts

## COVID-19 In Your Locality

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Chesapeake City has experienced the following:



1. COVID-19 case, hospitalization, and death figures are sourced from the Virginia Department of Health as of **10/19/2020**

2. COVID-19 Impact rankings are for all 133 Virginia localities, rather than the 132 included in the BRIC analysis for having at least one household in a flood or hurricane zone

# Considerations for Next Steps

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When evaluating future mitigation project opportunities, the population vulnerability and hazard risk metrics can supplement existing measures to design mitigation projects with an equity lens.

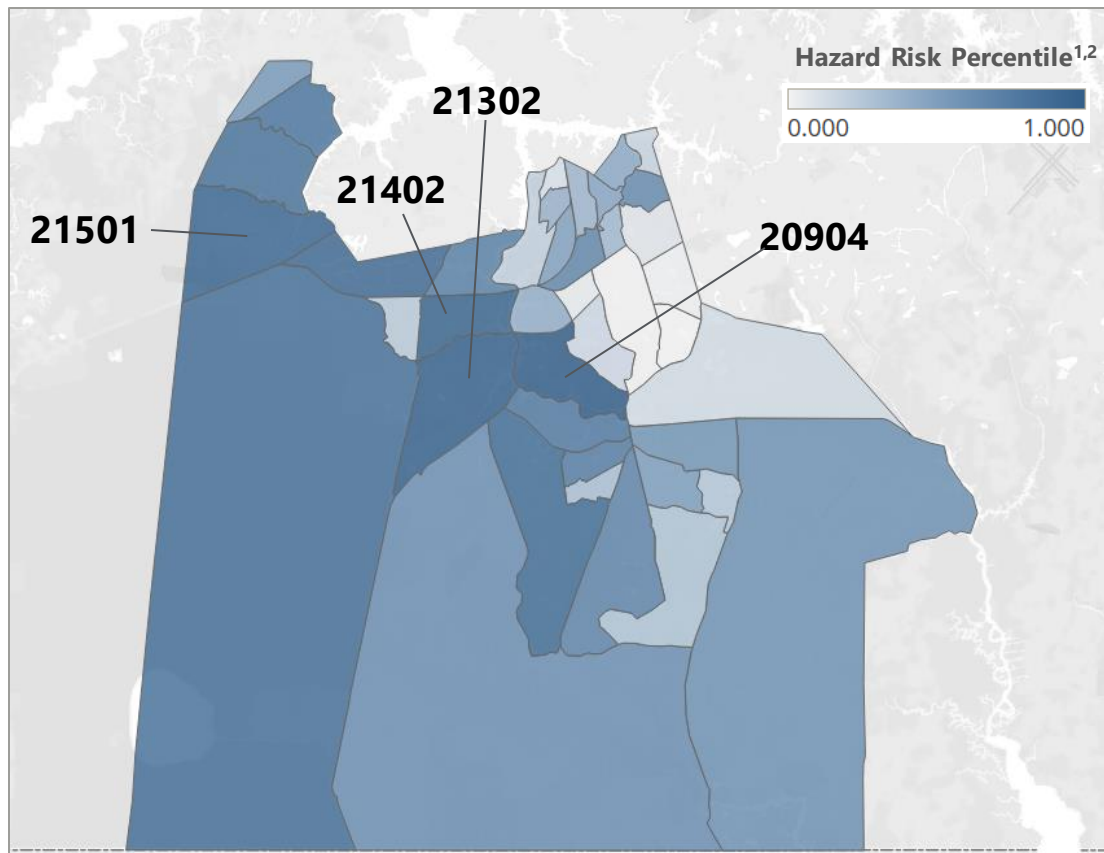
- Consider targeting **priority areas** when designing future mitigation projects
- Consider analysis at the **census tract/block level** to understand population vulnerability and hazard risks at a granular level to support decisions on mitigation projects
- Consider **supplementing these people-focused metrics** with existing infrastructure, elevation, and financial analysis for a holistic mitigation planning approach that includes equity considerations
- Consider **past project types** and **prior funding** in the overall mitigation strategy

# Appendix

## What areas in your locality have the greatest hazard risk?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that have the greatest number of households residing in the more severe flood and/or hurricane zones.

### Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup> in Chesapeake City



### Top-5 Census Tracts for Hazard Risk<sup>1</sup>

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Hazard Risk Percentile	Chesapeake City Household Counts							
				100 Year Coastal	100 Year Riverine FW	100 Year Riverine	500 Year Riverine	Hurr. Zone A	Hurr. Zone B	Hurr. Zone C	Hurr. Zone D
1	20904	5,069	100th	0	0	3225	301	3774	1295	0	0
2	21302	4,876	97th	0	0	1367	1140	2005	2823	48	0
3	21402	3,593	95th	0	0	1170	728	1649	1944	0	0
4	21501	5,439	92nd	0	0	33	135	1	0	5279	159
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**Note:** see the appendix for a data table for the Top 15 Census Tracts

1. Hazard risk reflects the number of households located in Flood and Hurricane Zones, weighted by severity
2. Census tracts at the 0<sup>th</sup> percentile (areas in white) do not have households in Flood or Hurricane Zones

## What is population vulnerability and how is it calculated? *continued*

The vulnerability score for each Virginia household reflects an estimate of the household's ability to safely respond in the event of an environmental disaster.



### Population Vulnerability

Attribute <sup>1</sup>	Weighting <sup>2</sup>	Description (in a household)
Low Income	18%	Number of adults with income less than \$30,000
Elevated Health Risk	17%	Number of adults with one or more serious health conditions
Age (Older Adults)	15%	Number of adults who are age 65 and older
Communities of Color	13%	Number of Black or African American or Hispanic or Latino adults
# of Children in Household	12%	Number of children
# of People in Household	10%	Number of adults and children
Unemployment Risk	8%	Number of adults at high risk of unemployment
Lack of Vehicle Access	6%	Does the household lack access to a motor vehicle?

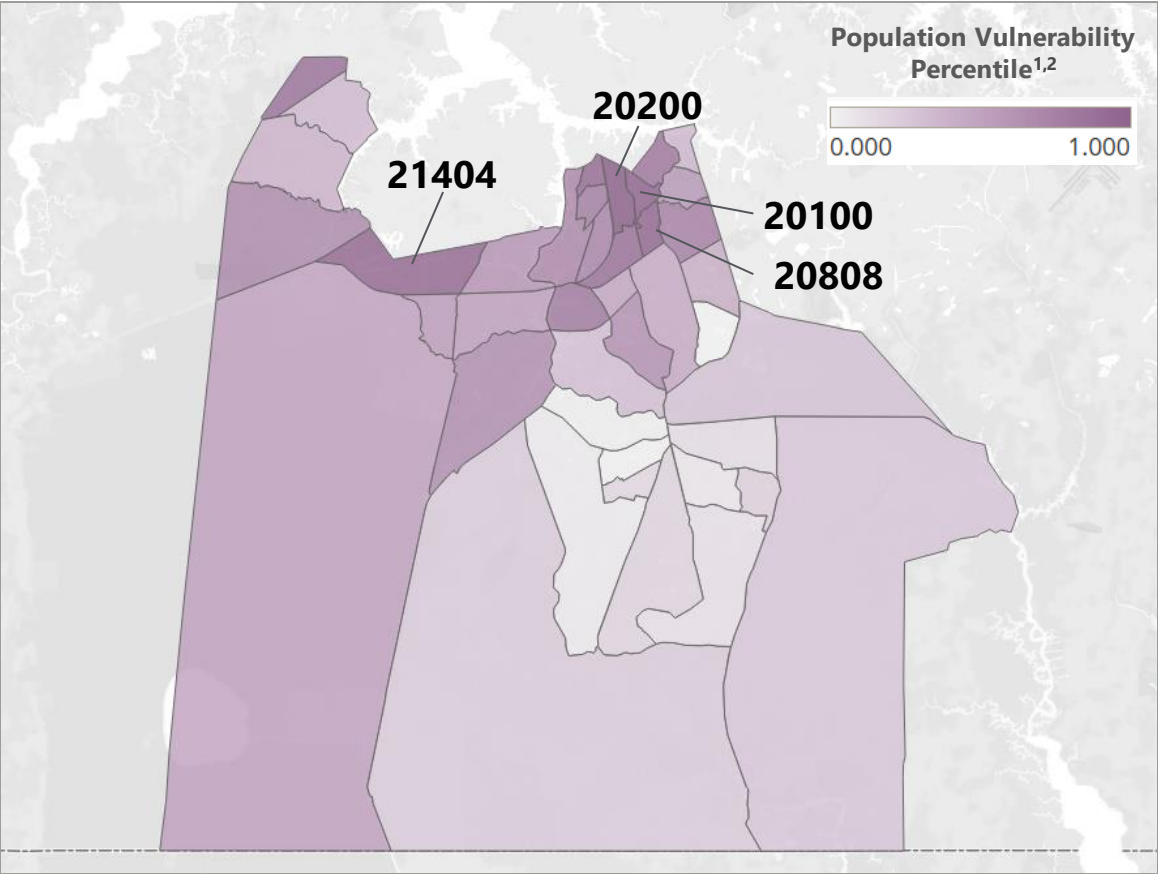
1. Two attributes - English as a Primary Language and Prevalence of Mobile Housing - were dropped from consideration based on the 8/20/2020 BRIC Working Group Session

2. Attribute contributions to Population Vulnerability were weighted as a result of the BRIC Working Group Session on 8/20/2020

# What areas in your locality have the greatest population vulnerability?

When designing mitigation projects, it may be helpful to consider specific census tracts that are home to the most vulnerable individuals in the event of an environmental disaster.

Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup> in Chesapeake City



Top-5 Census Tracts for Population Vulnerability<sup>1</sup>

			Within-Chesapeake City Percentiles								
#	Census Tract	# of House-holds	Pop. Vul.	Comm. of Color	Elevated Health Risk	Low Income	# of People	# of Children	Unem. Risk	Age	Vehicle Access
1	20200	2,373	100th	95th	87th	97th	31st	49th	85th	26th	95th
2	20100	2,551	97th	90th	82nd	100th	5th	23rd	92nd	13rd	100th
3	20808	2,031	95th	100th	100th	72nd	36th	18th	33rd	95th	67th
4	21404	4,188	92nd	92nd	72nd	77th	46th	54th	44th	69th	10th
5	20300	970	90th	77th	67th	92nd	10th	38th	90th	5th	97th

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# Data table | Population Vulnerability & Hazard Risk

#	Census Tract	# of Households	Percentiles										Within-locality Household Counts								
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4	20700	2,857	92nd	87th	74th	79th	95th	3rd	8th	79th	49th	74th	67th	0	0	214	318	908	461	0	1488
5	21402	3,593	90th	51st	49th	64th	56th	59th	69th	67th	59th	13rd	95th	0	0	1170	728	1649	1944	0	0
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9	21301	3,644	79th	49th	72nd	56th	44th	54th	51st	59th	18th	23rd	85th	0	0	60	40	180	3120	339	5
10	20904	5,069	77th	31st	51st	31st	51st	15th	15th	51st	31st	28th	100th	0	0	3225	301	3774	1295	0	0
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14	20903	1,389	67th	79th	97th	36th	62nd	56th	67th	26th	41st	33rd	41st	0	0	826	441	798	591	0	0
15	21502	4,302	59th	38th	41st	59th	36th	49th	46th	54th	72nd	38th	82nd	0	0	42	294	775	0	1783	1744

1. Note: These figures only account for census areas that have households in flood and/or hurricane zones

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# Data table | FEMA Funding<sup>1</sup>

Grantee	Year of Fiscal Year	Exclusive vs Shared	Subgrantee	Project Counties	Project Type(s)	Federal Funds Obligated
CHESAPEAKE CITY	2018	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$1,072,071
	2017	Exclusive	Chesapeake	CHESAPEAKE (CITY)	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$545,159
			City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$854,025
	2016	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$1,193,236
	2015	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$1,213,412
	2014	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$846,720
	2013	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$1,314,900
	2012	Shared	HAMPTON R..	ISLE OF WIGHT; JAMES CITY; WILLIAM..	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigati..	\$163,140
	2011	Exclusive	Chesapeake	CHESAPEAKE (CITY)	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigati..	\$29,250
					100.1: Public Awareness and Ed..	\$3,618
					200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$1,052,543
	2010	Exclusive	Chesapeake	CHESAPEAKE (CITY)	100.1: Public Awareness and Ed..	\$3,235
					200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$1,010,582
	2008	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	200.2: Acquisition of Private Re..	\$583,650
	2006	Exclusive	Chesapeake	CHESAPEAKE (CITY)	602.1: Other Equipment Purcha..	\$4,125
	2005	Exclusive	City of Chesa..	CHESAPEAKE CITY	91.1: Local Multihazard Mitigati..	\$205,185
	2003	Exclusive	Chesapeake	CHESAPEAKE (CITY)	100.1: Public Awareness and Ed..	\$2,571
					202.2: Elevation of Private Struc..	\$313,623
	1998	Shared	Chesapeake	DICKENSON	401.1: Water and Sanitary Sewe..	\$30,000
		Exclusive	CHESAPEAKE	CHESAPEAKE (CITY)	401.1: Water and Sanitary Sewe..	\$9,004

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